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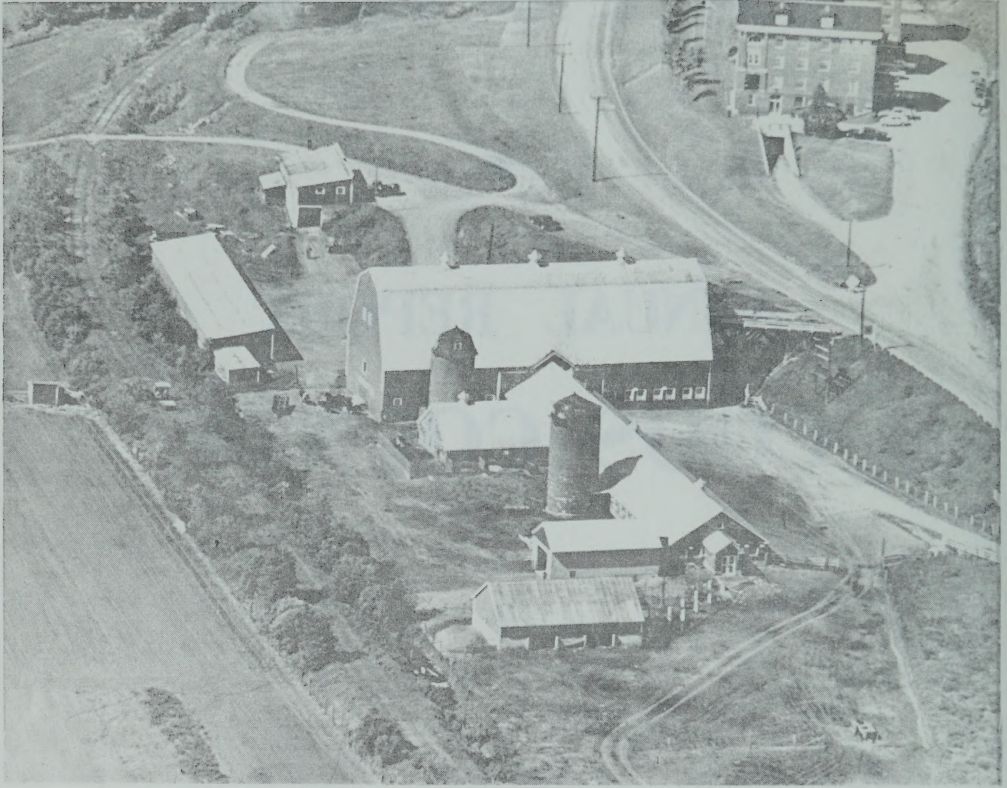


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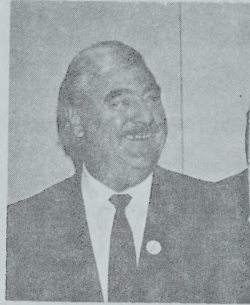
COOS COUNTY FARM. . . . West Stewartstown, N. H.

(Front Cover) COOS COUNTY NURSING HOME AND
HOUSE OF CORRECTION. . . . West Stewartstown, N.H.

COOS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Commissioner Norman S. Brungot, D.V.M.
Colebrook, New Hampshire



Commissioner Rene R. Bergeron
Berlin, New Hampshire



Commissioner Thomas R. Corrigan
Lancaster, New Hampshire

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County Officers

Superior Court

William W. Keller, Chief Justice
Robert C. Rich, Clerk
Warren B. Rudman, Attorney General
Pierre J. Morin, County Attorney
Emile A. Martineau, Sheriff

County Commissioners

Rene R. Bergeron, Berlin
Norman S. Brungot, D. V. M., Colebrook
Thomas R. Corrigan, Lancaster

Treasurer

John D. Morton, Berlin

Deputy Sheriffs

Perry D. Arsenault, Groveton
Edwin C. Bray, Whitefield
Charles A. Covey, Pittsburg
Harvey J. Duchesne, Berlin
Norman A. Vashaw, Lancaster

Superintendent

Leopold Bouchard, Berlin

Administratrix

Mary Bouchard, Berlin

Register of Deeds

Warren A. Bartlett, Lancaster

Register of Probate

A. Gladys MacLean, Lancaster

COUNTY OFFICERS

Judge of Probate

Frederick J. Harrigan, Colebrook

Medical Referees

Edouard M. Danais, M. D., Berlin
Benjamin H. Blodgett, M. D., Lancaster
W. H. Gifford, M. D., Colebrook

Representatives to General Court

Coos County

District No. 1 (Atkinson & Gilmanton Academy Grant, Clarks-ville, Colebrook, Columbia, Dix's Grant, Dixville, Errol, Millsfield, Pittsburg, Second College Grant, Stewartstown, Wentworth's Location.) (3)

Harry F. Huggins, r & d Pittsburg
Warren F. Metcalf, r & d Colebrook
David K. Patrick, r Colebrook

District No. 2 (Erving's Location, Northumberland, Odell, Stratford.) (2)

Walter O. Bushey, d & r Northumberland
Roger L. Hunt, d & r Stratford

District No. 3 (Dalton, Lancaster.) (2)

Arthur M. Drake, r Lancaster
Dana H. Lee, r Lancaster

District No. 4 (Carroll, Jefferson, Kilkenny, Low and Burbank's Grant, Milan, Randolph, Stark, Whitefield.) (2)

Harold Burns, r Whitefield
Mabel L. Richardson, r & d Randolph

District No. 5 (Bean's Grant, Bean's Purchase, Cambridge, Chandler's Purchase, Crawford's Purchase, Cutt's Grant, Dummer, Gorham, Green's Grant, Hadley's Purchase, Martin's Location, Pinkham's Grant, Sargent's Purchase, Shelburne, Success, Thompson and Meserve's Purchase.) (2)

Victor L. Kidder, r Shelburne
Otto H. Oleson, d Gorham

District No. 6 (Berlin - Ward 1) (2)

Guy J. Fortier, d Berlin
Alcide E. Valliere, d & r Berlin

District No. 7 (Berlin - Ward 2) (2)

Romeo A. Desilets, d & r Berlin
Nelson A. Pryor, d & r Berlin

District No. 8 (Berlin - Ward 3) (2)

Hilda C. Brungot, r & d Berlin
George E. Lemire, d Berlin

District No. 9 (Berlin - Ward 4) (2)

Rebecca A. Gagnon, d Berlin
Romeo J. Theriault, d Berlin

(R - 5; R & D - 4; D - 5; D & R - 5)

Coos County Delegation

COOS COUNTY DELEGATION MEETING

Meeting was called to order at the Coos County Institution in West Stewartstown, New Hampshire on March 4, 1972 at 11:00 a. m. by Chairman Guy Fortier.

Roll Call found Representatives Cook, Huggins, Bushey, Hunt, Mayhew, Drake, Lee, O'Hara, Burns, Oleson, Dubey, Fortier, Roy, Desilets, Studd, York, Brungot, McCuin, Bouchard, Gagnon, Theri-ault, Kidder, Richardson, and Metcalf present. Oswell was absent due to illness.

Robert Rich, Clerk of Superior Court spoke on items under Superior Court and recommended an increase in salary for the Attorney.

Rep. Drake questioned Commissioner Brungot regarding increases in wages.

Warren Bartlett, Register of Deeds explained use of money in his office, fees and their uses. Robert Rich stated that if the Register of Deeds was to be changed to a salary that an adjustment in fees would be necessary.

Robert Rich said two new judges were needed and that was the reason for the increase under jury payrolls also recommended an increase of \$500. to \$800. under Masters Fees for two stenographers.

Discussion followed concerning chairs for the Court House and Institution increase.

Leighton Pratt spoke about how well the farm was run and hoped it would not be phased out as had been done in other places in the state. Supt. Bouchard supported operating the farm as a paying business and said it helped the town by additional taxes as well as employment. Supt. Bouchard explained that taxes had been constantly increased over the past few years. Chairman Fortier recommended that the Superintendent apply to the Tax Commission concerning these increases.

Rep. Drake stated that a bill had passed the house which would increase the rate per day from \$2.00 to \$14.00 if passed by the Senate which would increase the revenue for the County.

Supt. Bouchard spoke about the need for more nurses and nurses aides and an increase in pay was needed in many positions.

Commissioner Brungot stated that the County's share of Old Age Assistance was 40%.

Recess was declared at 12:55 p. m.

Meeting reconvened at 2:10 p m.

Supt. Bouchard explained sewerage study, full time physical therapist, heating system, condition of boilers, cost of repair to old boilers, \$15,000; cost for new boilers (low pressure) \$26,000, which would be installed in jail building with a 15,000 gal. storage tank and convert over to No. 2 oil recommended for efficiency and low cost maintenance. Signal system was not only a safety feature but a requirement. No system on floors on 1 and 2 at the present time.

Conservation Commission explained by Mr. Johnson from Soil and Conservation Commission. Federal Government has two men working in this county on pollution, wildlife management, conservation, soils and erosion problems. 163 had called for advice and information last year and several banks and institutions as well as individuals had made contributions to the office.

Rep. Drake moved that the delegation go into executive session and was seconded by Rep. York. Voted in favor of the motion.

Motion was made by Rep. Burns that all items in the budget under General Government be accepted without change and it was seconded by Rep. Oleson. Vote was favorable.

Rep. Drake made a motion to reduce the amount to be raised for Expenses of Above and Accounting Administration from \$17,500 to \$16,500 and was voted in the affirmative. Then Rep. Drake asked to have his motion amended to read \$17,000 for expenses of above and Accounting Administration. It was so voted.

Rep. Dubey made a motion that \$2800 be substituted for \$3800 for the Register of Deeds and it was seconded by Rep. York. After some discussion vote was taken by roll call and motion was lost.

Rep. Drake moved that \$3300 be raised for Register of Deeds and was seconded by Rep. Cook and Brungot and vote was in the affirmative.

Rep. Dubey made a motion to reduce the amount to be raised for the Berlin Court House to \$8,000 and was seconded by Rep. Lee and the vote was unanimously in favor of the motion.

Rep. Dubey moved to reduce the amount for the Lancaster Court be \$8,000 and was seconded by Rep. Brungot and the vote was unanimous in favor of the motion.

Rep. Drake moved to reduce jury payrolls from \$14,000 to \$13,000 and was seconded by Rep. McCuin and vote was favorable.

Rep. Drake moved that Masters Fees remain the same and was seconded by Rep. Dubey and the vote was favorable.

Rep. Drake moved that the Clerk of Court be reduced from \$23,000 to \$22,000 and was seconded by Rep. Hunt and vote was favorable.

Rep. Cook moved that Sheriffs and Deputies remain the same and was seconded by Rep. Huggins. Vote was favorable.

Rep. Drake made a motion to raise \$310,000 for institutions and was seconded by Rep. Lee and the vote was in the affirmative.

Rep. Drake made a motion to raise \$84,000 for the farm and it was seconded by Rep. Richardson and voted in the affirmative.

Rep. Drake made a motion to reduce the amount for the Nursing Home to \$210,000 and seconded by Rep. O'Hara and voted in the affirmative.

Rep. Drake made a motion to reduce the amount for the jail to \$34,000 and was seconded by Rep. Hunt and vote was favorable.

Rep. Drake made a motion to reduce the amount for children to \$26,000 and seconded by Rep. Dubey and was voted in the affirmative.

Rep. Drake made a motion to reduce the amount for physical therapist to \$9,000 and was seconded by Rep. Richardson and vote was favorable.

Rep. York made a motion that the \$26,000 for Boilers, \$13,500 for Laundry and equipment and \$18,000 for the Signal System be taken care of by short term notes or bonds and was seconded by Rep. Studd. It was passed unanimously by a roll call vote.

Rep. Drake made motion to include a separate item in the budget for chairs for the Lancaster Court House in the amount of \$500 and it was seconded by Rep. Mayhew and voted in the affirmative.

Motion was made by Rep. Richardson to reduce the amount for Crime Abatement to \$2,000 and seconded by Rep. Drake and the vote was favorable.

Motion was made by Rep. Richardson to reduce the amount for the Delegation to \$1100 and was seconded by Rep. Mayhew and the vote was favorable.

Rep. Mayhew made a motion to amend the budget to include a raise in wages for the County Employees and was seconded by Rep. Brungot as follows:

Moved to amend the budget to provide \$10.00 weekly across the board wage increase in lieu of any other increases provided in the 1972 budget for hourly paid County Employees and to provide an additional \$23,229 appropriation to cover cost of same, plus \$1208 for ad-

ditional cost of Social Security. Providing further that the County Commissioners be instructed to apportion this appropriation to the proper divisions of the budget. Providing this conforms to the budget as passed. Providing further that the commissioners put these into effect when approved by wage price board where necessary. Division vote was called with nine voting yes and six voting no. Motion passed.

Rep. Drake moved to increase the amount of revenue by \$20,000 to apply against the authorization to be arrived at by taxation. Revenue would be changed to read \$507,877.57. Seconded by Rep. Brungot and voted in the affirmative.

Rep. Drake made a motion and was seconded by Rep. Dubey that the County Commissioners raise \$618,261 by direct taxation. Vote was in the affirmative.

Rep. Drake made a motion and was seconded by Rep. Mayhew that Chairman Fortier, Clerk Huggins, Vice - Chairman Dubey and Rep. Drake make any corrections necessary in case errors were found in computing the budget. Vote was in the affirmative.

Rep. Roy made a motion to adjourn and was seconded by Rep. Brungot. Vote was favorable.

Chairman Fortier declared the meeting adjourned at 5:15 P.M. and delegation would meet in Concord, N. H. March 9, 1972 to correct any errors found in the budget.

HARRY F. HUGGINS, Clerk

FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

The Coos County Committee held its fourth quarterly meeting February 5, 1972 at the Coos County Farm, West Stewartstown, N. H.

Meeting was called to order at 11:00 a. m. by Chairman Guy Fortier. Roll Call found all members of the Finance Committee present. Huggins, Hunt, Lee, Oleson, Dubey, Fortier, Brungot, Gagnon, Richardson, and Roy. Also Commissioners Brungot and Corrigan present.

The fourth quarterly report was taken up at this time and each item was read the various items discussed.

Rep. Brungot made a motion that the fourth quarterly report be accepted and it was seconded by Rep. Gagnon and voted in the affirmative.

Rep. Richardson asked the Commissioners to explain about the office held by Fred King and it was explained by Commissioner Brungot that he was hired by the Federal Government as an Area Planner for this area.

Motion was made to adjourn by Rep. Brungot and seconded by Rep. Gagnon. Voted in the affirmative and meeting adjourned at 12:25 p. m.

HARRY F. HUGGINS, Clerk

COOS COUNTY DELEGATION MEETING

The Coos County Delegation met at the State House, Representatives Hall February 8, 1972.

Meeting was called to order at 12:30 p. m. by Chairman Guy Fortier and the following members present: Rep. Cook, Huggins, Hunt, Mayhew, Burns, Oleson, Dubey, Fortier, Desilets, Studd, York, Brungot, Gagnon, Theriault, Kidder, and Richardson.

Rep. Cook made a motion to give approval to the Treasurer to borrow the sum of \$500,000. not exceeding said sum from time to time during the year upon order of the County Commissioners pursuant to RSA 28:18 which was the amount estimated for this purpose and was seconded by Rep. Desilets and vote was unanimous in favor.

The Chairman nominated Rep. Roland Cook for a member of the Finance Committee. Rep. Mayhew moved to elect Rep. Roland Cook on the Finance Committee and was seconded by Rep. Brungot voted in favor by a unanimous vote.

Motion was made by Rep. Brungot to adjourn and was seconded by Rep. Kidder and meeting adjourned at 12:45 p. m.

HARRY F. HUGGINS, Clerk

I, the Clerk of the County Convention of Coos County, New Hampshire, certify that at a meeting of the Executive Committee of the County Delegation held on Tuesday February 8, 1972 in Section 1, Representatives Hall, State House, Concord, N. H., of which each member of the committee was duly notified and at which a quorum was present, the following vote was unanimously passed, all of which appears upon the official records of the committee in my custody:

VOTED that money in the treasury of the County is insufficient to meet the demands upon the same and the sum of up to \$500,000 is estimated to be necessary for the purpose during the present year; and that approval is hereby given to the treasurer to borrow not exceeding said sum from time to time during said year upon order of the County Commissioners pursu-

ant to RSA 28:18
Dated: February 8, 1972

Guy J. Fortier, Chairman
HARRY F. HUGGINS, Clerk
County Convention - Coos County

PUBLIC HEARING

February 12, 1972

A Public Hearing on the 1972 Proposed Coos County Budget was held at the Superior Court House, Lancaster, New Hampshire at 2:00 p. m.

The items of the budget were read and taken up individually by the Chairman, Guy Fortier.

Robert Rich explained the Superior Court items and the duties of the medical referee. Warren Bartlett explained the expenditures of the Register of Deeds. Supt. Bouchard spoke on Public Welfare. Leighton Pratt from Extension Service spoke of the good practices concerning the farm. Commissioner Brungot explained the necessity for a signal system to comply with regulations required. Robert Rich explained the work done on Lancaster Court House and things needed doing in the coming year. Robert Rich suggested \$500. be raised for chairs under item Clerk of Court. Crime Abatement was explained by Supt. Bouchard and what the money was used for such as uniforms and equipment of which matching funds from the Federal Government was available. County Conservation was explained by Mr. Leighton Pratt and a secretary would be used from the present time to October.

Chairman Fortier asked Mr. Pratt to attend the March 4th Budget Meeting or have someone there to explain it.

Public Hearing was adjourned by Chairman Guy Fortier at 3:45 p. m.

HARRY F HUGGINS, Clerk

DELEGATION MEETING

March 9, 1972

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Fortier immediately after the House adjourned at 1:00 p. m. in Room 100 State House, Concord, N. H.

Rep. Mayhew made a motion to reconsider action taken at the Coos County Institution to amend the budget to raise the wages

for the County employees and was seconded by Rep. Drake. Vote was favorable.

Rep. Mayhew moved to amend the budget to provide that those county hourly paid employees earning not more than \$2.75 an hour be granted an additional increase effective July 1, 1972. This increase shall make their hourly wage 25 cents above their 1971 rate. The finance committee is hereby instructed to increase the total county appropriation sufficiently to carry out this increase.

Rep. Oleson moved to adjourn until next Tuesday, March 14, 1972 to make final decision on the budget after the Finance Committee meets at Berlin Court House on March 11, 1972 at 2:00 p. m. to obtain rates and wages from Clerk of the County Commissioners Office and Supt. Bouchard. This motion was seconded by Rep. Mayhew and voted in the affirmative.

Meeting adjourned at 1:30 p. m.

HARRY F. HUGGINS, Clerk

FINANCE MEETING

Berlin Court House

March 11, 1972

The Finance Committee met at the Berlin Court House, Berlin, N. H. March 11, 1972 at 2:00 p. m. with County Commissioners Brungot and Corrigan and Supt. Bouchard.

Roll Call found Cook, Huggins, Hunt, Lee, Dubey, Fortier, Brungot and Gagnon present.

Chairman Fortier called the meeting to order at 2:25 p. m. to go over information regarding wages for County Employees from the Commissioners and Supt. of Coos County Institution.

Rep. Dubey spoke on Mayhew's motion in regard to increase in wages and was followed by Rep. Lee, Huggins, Gagnon, Brungot and Hunt.

Supt. Bouchard gave explanation where more help would be needed due to more patients in the nursing home and asked that the delegation reconsider the \$38,000 cut they made in the budget.

Chairman Fortier suggested that they get along until a later date possibly August and if more money was needed they could come to the Finance Committee and request it.

After more discussion Rep. Lee made a motion that the salaries and wages remain in the Commissioners and Supt. hands and it was seconded by Rep. Cook and was passed by a unanimous vote.

Rep. Gagnon asked that the Commissioners and Supt. be congratulated in furnishing the information on wages for their work in such a short notice.

Supt. Bouchard asked what sum of money they would have to work with and he was given a figure of \$593,823.43 would be the amount raised by taxation.

Rep. Brungot made a motion to adjourn and was seconded by Rep. Cook and voted to adjourn at 3:00 p. m.

HARRY F. HUGGINS, Clerk

COOS COUNTY DELEGATION MEETING

March, 14, 1972

The Coos County Delegation met at the State House in Room 100, Concord, N. H. at 1:00 p. m. March 14, 1972.

Roll Call found Huggins, Hunt, Lee, Oleson, Fortier, Gagnon, Richardson, Bushey, Mayhew, Burns, O'Hara, Desileis, Studd, York, McCuin and Metcalf present.

Clerk read the minutes of the meeting of the Finance Committee held in Berlin, N. H. March 11, 1972 and each member was given a copy of the employees wages as received from Supt. Bouchard.

After a short discussion Rep. Mayhew made a motion to amend the budget to provide that those County hourly paid employees earning not more than \$2.75 per hour be granted an additional increase effective July 1, 1972. This increase shall make their hourly wage 25 cents above their 1971 rate. The Finance Committee is hereby instructed to increase the total county appropriation sufficiently to carry out this increase.

Rep. Lee moved to amend Mayhew's motion to leave it to the County Commissioners to carry out the increase.

Rep. Mayhew made a motion to adjourn until tomorrow until more members of the delegation were present and it was seconded by Rep. Lee. Vote was unanimous in favor of the motion and meeting was adjourned at 1:05 p. m. until March 15, 1972.

HARRY F. HUGGINS, Clerk

COOS COUNTY DELEGATION MEETING

March 15, 1972

Meeting called to order in Room 100, State House, Concord,

N. H. at 12:55 by Chairman Fortier.

Roll Call found Cook, Huggins, Hunt, Lee, Oleson, Fortier, Brungot, Gagnon, Richardson, Roy, Bushey, Mayhew, Burns, O'Hara, Desilets, Studd, York, McCuin, Theriault, Kidder, and Metcalf present.

Rep. Mayhew made the same motion he proposed March 9, 1972 to amend the budget to provide that those County hourly paid employees earning not more than \$2.75 an hour be granted an additional increase effective July 1, 1972. This increase shall make their hourly wage 25 cents above their 1971 rate. The Finance Committee is hereby instructed to increase the total County appropriation sufficiently to carry out this increase. Motion was seconded by Rep. York. Discussion followed.

Roll Call vote was as follows: Voting Yes. Mayhew, Oleson and York. Voting No was Cook, Huggins, Hunt, Lee, Fortier, Brungot, Gagnon, Richardson, Roy, Bushey, Drake, Burns, O'Hara, Desilets, Studd, McCuin, Theriault, Kidder, and Metcalf. Motion lost by a vote of 19 to 3.

Rep. Brungot made a motion to adjourn and was seconded by Rep. Gagnon and voted in the affirmative to adjourn at 1:10 p. m.

HARRY F. HUGGINS, Clerk

FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

May 13, 1972

The Finance Committee of the Coos County Delegation met at the Coos County Institution, West Stewartstown, New Hampshire at 11:00 a. m. to act upon the expenditures for the first quarter of 1972.

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Guy Fortier.

Roll Call found Rep. Cook, Huggins, Hunt, Oleson, Dubey, Fortier, Roy, Brungot and Gagnon present.

Chairman Fortier read the expenditures of the first quarter and were discussed by the committee as presented by the County Commissioners.

Expenditures for the Register of Deeds Office was discussed by several members of the committee and Commissioner Corrigan gave an explanation and suggested that a committee go into the office and look into the situation.

Chairman Fortier asked that the committee let it rest until the next quarterly meeting and have the Register of Deeds give a statement of any needed items which would be above the amount appropriated.

ated in the budget.

Commissioner Brungot reported that the Soil Conservation Commission asked to use money appropriated for clerical help to be used for other things. Rep. Cook made a motion that no money is to be spent except for clerical help if the federal government should discontinue federal funds, and it was seconded by Rep. Oleson, and vote was unanimously in favor.

Rep. Hunt asked about costs of County Reports and this was explained by Commissioner Brungot.

County Coordinator Fred King gave explanation concerning regional plans which were under way and that the towns would lose federal aid unless the towns became a part under the regional plan.

The plans had been changed from 17 regions down to 6 and now it was being recommended to change it to 10. Northern region would consist of about 50 towns. Suggested plans were given out to the committee.

Motion was made by Rep. Brungot that \$84.60 be paid out of the Crime Abatement Fund for remote control system from the house to jail and was seconded by Chairman Fortier and voted in the affirmative.

Rep. Gagnon moved that the first quarterly report of the budget be accepted and was seconded by Rep. Cook and voted favorable.

Rep. Hunt moved to adjourn and was seconded by Rep. Brungot and voted to adjourn at 1:00 p. m.

HARRY F. HUGGINS, Clerk

FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

August 5, 1972

The Finance Committee of the Coos County Delegation met at the Coos County Nursing Home, West Stewartstown, N. H. August 5, 1972 at 10:00 a. m. to act upon the expenditures for the second quarter of 1972.

Meeting was called to order by Guy Fortier, Chairman, at 10:05 a. m. Roll Call found Rep. Huggins, Hunt, Lee, Oleson, Dubey, Fortier, Roy, Brungot, Gagnon and Richardson present.

The expenditures for the second quarter were read by the chairman and discussed.

Mr. Warren Bartlett asked to have a committee appointed to examine his office as he would need more funds for the last two quar-

ters of the year. Rep. Brungot made a motion that the committee be appointed and it was seconded by Rep. Gagnon, and this was voted favorable by a voice vote. Chairman Fortier, Vice-Chairman Dubey and Clerk Huggins were appointed.

Commissioner Corrigan stated that book binding and repairing the typewriters were some of the things which would be a cost for the county. Discussion followed about the Register of Deeds Office and the Berlin and Lancaster courthouses. Welfare and rents were discussed by several members.

Supt. Bouchard stated the study on sewerage had been extended to September.

A letter and bill was read from the Department of Safety which had been sent last November for radio system for the Sheriff's Department. Rep. Lee made a motion that the County Commissioners investigate the bill and if it was okay to pay it out of the Crime Commission money. This was seconded by Rep. Brungot and voted favorable by a voice vote.

Mr. Robert Johnson explained the work of the Soil Conservation Commission and the need for money to be used other than clerical help and that there was outstanding bills amounting to \$1902.45. Rep. Hunt moved that the Commissioners be authorized to spend up to \$2500 for this purpose and it was seconded by Rep. Richardson and voted favorable by a voice vote.

A short recess was declared by the chairman.

Meeting was called to order and Rep. Brungot moved to accept the Commissioners' Report for the second quarter as amended and it was seconded by Rep. Hunt and vote was favorable.

Motion was made by Rep. Huggins to adjourn and was seconded by Rep. Hunt and voted in the affirmative.

Mr. Fred King was recognized, who explained regional planning and the effects it would have on towns and counties on pollution, sewerage and other economic problems. The planning region would consist of 52 towns north of and including Plymouth, N. H. When accepted, a Director would be located in Lincoln, N. H. to serve the northern area. This should be accepted by July 1973, but might be extended to 1974. Money would have to be raised at the rate of \$.15 per capita to employ a consultant to get the towns certified. The share for Coos County would be \$5120.

HARRY F. HUGGINS, Clerk

MEETING AT LANCASTER COURT HOUSE

August 28, 1972

A committee of three consisting of Chairman Fortier, Vice-Chairman Dubey and Clerk Huggins were appointed at the last Finance Committee Meeting to investigate the records of the Register of Deeds Office concerning his expenditures.

The committee met at the Register of Deeds Office at 2:00 p. m. August 28, 1972 with Warren Barlett, Register of Deeds and found there was need for \$250 in addition to the amount raised in the budget to meet the needs of the office for the remainder of the year.

Meeting was adjourned at 3:30 p. m. by Chairman Fortier.

HARRY F. HUGGINS, Clerk

FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

The Finance Committee of Coos County Delegation met at the Coos County Nursing Home, West Stewartstown, N. H. October 28, 1972 at 10:00 a. m. to act upon the expenditures for the third quarter of 1972.

Meeting was called to order by Chairman Guy Fortier at 10:20 a. m. Roll Call found Rep. Huggins, Hunt, Lee, Oleson, Dubey, Fortier, Roy, Brungot, Gagnon and Richardson present. Commissioners Brungot, Corrigan, and Bergeron were present.

Each item of the expenditures were read by the Chairman and discussed by the committee when necessary.

Commissioner Brungot suggested that the legislators look into the matter concerning payments which are being made for people in other counties which should not be a responsibility of this county. He agreed the commissioners would send a letter to the chairman for his use.

Supt. Bouchard explained about money spent for Physical Therapist. They had been unable to fill this position until about two weeks ago and most of the money would be used for equipment needed in the near future.

Commissioner Corrigan explained about chairs etc. for the Lancaster Courthouse.

A letter was read by the clerk regarding expenditures for equipment for the Soil Conservation Commission and a list of items not approved by the Commissioners unless approved by the Finance Committee. Rep. Oleson moved and was seconded by Rep. Brungot to put

the letter on file and it be left to the Commissioners to take whatever action they deemed necessary and it would have the approval of the Finance Committee.

It was mentioned the Soil Conservation Commission had been invited to meet with us to discuss this matter, but no one appeared at the meeting.

Rep. Lee made a motion that any equipment paid for by the County should be returned to the County if the office should be discontinued and was seconded by Rep. Oleson and voted in the affirmative.

Rep. Lee made a motion and was seconded by Rep. Gagnon that the Finance Committee authorize the County Commissioners to ask the Extension Service to present their vouchers to the County Commissioners Office for payment of all County funds after January 1, 1973. The vote was declared unanimous in the affirmative.

Rep. Brungot made a motion to accept the expenditures and reimbursements for the third quarter and the vote was favorable.

Rep. Gagnon made a motion to adjourn and it was seconded by Rep. Brungot. Vote was favorable.

Meeting was adjourned at 11:45 a. m.

HARRY F. HUGGINS, Clerk

Budget as Approved by Coos County Delegation

Purposes of Expenditures

General Government:

Salaries of County

Commissioners	\$ 7,500.00
County Treasurer	750.00
County Attorney	3,500.00
County Sheriff	2,000.00
Medical Referees	2,200.00
County Auditors	400.00

Expenses of Above and

Accounting Administration	17,000.00
Register of Deeds	3,300.00
Register of Probate	2,200.00
Attorney, clerical	1,250.00

Care and Supplies,

Courthouses:

Berlin	8,000.00
Lancaster	8,000.00

Superior Court:

Law Books, psychiatric	1,000.00
Jury Payrolls	13,000.00
State "vs" Payrolls	15,000.00
Masters Fees	500.00
Attorney expenses	1,400.00
Stenographer	9,000.00
Clerk of Superior Court	22,000.00
Sheriff & Deputies	6,000.00

Public Welfare:

County Institution	310,000.00
County Farm	84,000.00
County Nursing Home	210,000.00
County Jail	34,000.00
Support of Poor Off Farm	31,000.00
Old Age Assistance	105,000.00
Board & Care of Children	26,000.00
Soldier's Aid	12,000.00
Welfare Administration	6,700.00

Interest:

On Temporary Loans	\$ 11,420.00
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New Construction & Equipment:	
Jail, office	1,500.00
Institution, sewerage study	2,020.00
Nursing Home, kitchen	10,085.00
Physical Therapist	9,000.00
Boiler, Laundry, Signal System	57,500.00
Lancaster Court House, roof & chairs	11,500.00
Jail, roof	3,500.00
Berlin Court House, chairs	1,000.00
All Other Payments:	
Crime Abatement	2,000.00
Soil Conservation	5,000.00
County Reports	1,800.00
N.H. Dist. Agency (surplus)	19,400.00
Extension Service	39,576.00
Insurance	13,500.00
Social Security/Retirement	26,600.00
Delegation	1,100.00
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Total	\$ 1,159,201.00

ESTIMATED SOURCES OF REVENUE 1972

Income:	
County Nursing Home	\$ 360,400.00
County Farm	55,912.00
County Hospital	1,500.00
Children	2,600.00
N.H. Dist. Agency (surplus)	8,000.00
Long Term Note	57,500.00
Other receipts	20,000.00
Cash Surplus,	
December 31, 1971	59,465.57
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Total Revenue from all sources except taxation	\$ 565,377.57
Amount to be raised by taxation	593,823.43
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Total Revenue	\$1,159,201.00

Report of County Commissioners

To the Citizens of Coos County:

Your County Government continues to be very active.

At the Coos County Nursing Home, there has been an expansion from 82 beds to 100 beds, with a very satisfactory patient census, and a waiting list indicating that demand for these services will continue.

Also at the Nursing Home, a new heating system and a new patient signal system have been installed and are in operation. Officials and staff indicate complete satisfaction and much improvement. A new kitchen facility has also been installed, to provide faster and more efficient food service for the patients.

The land-damage taking of County land for improvement of U S. Route 3 in the vicinity of the County Farm has been settled to the satisfaction of the Commissioners, with the valued assistance of the County Attorney.

Repairs to the Lancaster Court House roof are continuing. It is hoped that one more year will complete the work.

Extensive improvements to the court rooms in the Berlin Court House have been completed, with assistance from funds granted by the New Hampshire Crime Commission.

A building committee has been appointed by Guy Fortier, Chairman of the Coos County Delegation, to work with the Commissioners in formulating plans for a proposed County Nursing Home in the Berlin area. It is hoped that tentative proposals can be formulated in time for presentation to the Delegation at an early date.

Our appreciation is extended to the Delegation and to all County personnel for their cooperation during the year just ended.

Respectfully submitted,

Rene Bergeron
Norman Brungot
Thomas Corrigan
Commissioners

State Tax Commission Audit Report

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Board of County Commissioners
Coos County
Berlin, New Hampshire

Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 71, Section 27, of the Revised Statutes Annotated, an examination and audit of the accounts of Coos County for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1969, was made by this Division.

Submitted herewith is the report of this audit including Exhibits as hereafter listed.

The general accounts of the County are kept on the cash basis, except for uncollected taxes due from the unincorporated Towns.

Scope of Audit

Included in the audit and examination were the accounts and records of the Board of County Commissioners, County Treasurer, Clerk of the Superior Court and Superintendent of the County Farm and Hospital.

Financial Statements

Comparative Balance Sheets - December 31, 1968 - December 31, 1969: (Exhibit A)

Comparative Balance Sheets as of December 31, 1968 and December 31, 1969, are presented in Exhibit A. As indicated therein, the Surplus increased by \$71,497.99, from \$45,356.14 to \$116,854.13, during 1969.

Analysis of Change in Financial Condition: (Exhibit B)

An analysis of change in financial condition of the County during the fiscal year ended December 31, 1969 is presented in Exhibit B, with the factors which caused the change indicated therein. These were as follows:

Analysis of Change

Increases in Surplus:

Net Budget Surplus	\$99,097.64
Long Term Notes Paid	20,000.00
Increase in Accounts Receivable	6,525.24
Decrease in Accounts Payable	7,927.28

\$133,550.16

Decrease in Surplus:

Surplus Used to Reduce County Tax	62,052.17
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Net Increase in Surplus

\$71,497.99

Comparative Statements of Appropriations and Expenditures - Estimated and Actual Revenues: (Exhibit C and D)

Comparative statements of appropriations and expenditures, estimated and actual revenues are included in Exhibits C and D. As indicated by the Budget Summary (Exhibit D), a revenue surplus of \$93,721.48, plus a net unexpended balance of appropriations of \$5,376.16, resulted in a net budget surplus of \$99,097.64

Treasurer

Classified Statement of Receipts and Expenditures: (Exhibit E)

A summary statement of the receipts and expenditures of the County during the fiscal year, made up in accordance with the uniform classification of accounts, is contained in Exhibit E. Proof of the Treasurer's balance as of December 31, 1969 is indicated in Exhibit F.

Accounts of Commissioners

An examination was made of the orders issued by the Board of County Commissioners during the fiscal year. Supporting invoices and payrolls were also examined. The classification of expenditures was noted.

Clerk of the Superior Court

The financial accounts and records of the Clerk of the Superior Court were examined. Court receipts were checked by source, insofar as possible, and found to be properly recorded. Court orders issued by the Clerk were supported by invoices, vouchers and payrolls bearing the approval of a Superior Court Justice.

County Farm and Hospital

The accounts and records of the Superintendent of the County Farm and County Hospital were examined. All receipts, as recorded in the cash book, were properly accounted for through bank deposits to the credit of the County Treasurer's accounts.

Recommendations

County Commissioners:

To correct the exceptions and deficiencies noted in the preceding comments, the following recommendations are made:

(1) The existing accounting system should be expanded to provide all general ledger accounts and subsidiary records necessary to accurately reflect the financial position of the County at all times.

(2) All welfare order blanks issued by the Commissioners requesting services or goods for welfare cases should be duly signed when issued. Controlled purchase orders should be issued when making purchases of all other materials, supplies and services.

(3) All vouchers approved by the Commissioners should be supported by itemized invoices, showing in complete detail the following information: quantity and quality of materials purchased; nature of services rendered; prices and terms; delivery dates; places or departments where goods were delivered or services rendered; the signature or name of the recipients, when applicable. All invoices should be matched with related welfare order blanks or purchase orders.

(4) All purchases exceeding the sum of \$300.00 should be made strictly by competitive bidding as required by law. Whenever the Commissioners vote to waive the provisions for such bidding in conformance with the law, a copy of such vote should be kept in their offices as required.

County Institutions:

(1) A comprehensive review of existing accounting records and forms should be made. Whenever possible, consolidation of journals and ledgers should be effected in an effort to reduce the number of records maintained.

(2) Serious consideration should be given to the adoption of a machine accounting system for recording and processing the financial data of the County Institutions. The use of machine accounting would accelerate the accounting process considerably and thus would provide operating results on a more timely basis. Many procedures which under current practice result in duplication of work, could be eliminated or combined. The use of a mechanized accounting system would also help to stabilize related clerical costs.

(3) Duplicate invoices should be required from all vendors for retention in the business office at the County Institutions. This will eliminate the need of transcribing detail data from vendors invoices into the purchases ledger described in our comments.

(4) The general ledger control over the accounts receivable of the County Institutions should be reconciled monthly with the subsidiary ledger accounts.

(4) There were numerous vouchers for single purchases of materials and equipment, the amounts of which exceeded three hundred dollars (\$300.00). By law (R. S. A., 28:8), such purchases must be made by competitive bidding. The auditors noted several instances wherein the provisions of this law were not complied with. The most conspicuous example found was an expenditure of \$20,750.83 for major improvements to certain private property leased by the County to house an indigent family supported by County welfare funds. Inquiries made of the business office employees disclosed that apparently bids were not sought for this particular project. It was also noted that three (3) of the nine (9) vouchers which made up this expenditure were signed "under protest" by one of the Commissioners.

County Institutions:

A review was made of the accounting records and procedures of the County Institutions. This review disclosed the following deficiencies:

(1) All accounting records are kept manually by pen and ink methods.

(2) Because the books are recorded in this manner, many of the clerical functions in the accounting process are duplicated at considerable expense to the County. In particular, the cost of processing payrolls is greatly increased under this system.

(3) In addition to an accounts payable ledger, a ledger is kept in which the particulars of every purchase made for the Institutions are recorded and segregated by vendors. This ledger serves as a source of reference in lieu of duplicate vendor invoices.

(4) Some vouchers covering petty cash reimbursements were not adequately supported.

(5) The records of the hospital and nursing home are maintained both on the cash and accrual basis of accounting. This is necessitated by the fact that accounting requirements imposed by law differ from those recommended for such institutions by the New Hampshire - Vermont Hospitalization Service.

(6) The general ledger accounts receivable control at December 31, 1969, did not agree with the total of the subsidiary ledger accounts. The control account was understated by \$2,891.28.

General Accounting Records:

The general accounting records of the County consist primarily of cash receipts and cash payments books. These records conform to those recommended by the State Tax Commission. General ledger proprietary accounts are not kept. Similarly, formal budgetary ledgers are not maintained. The general accounting system, therefore, is incomplete.

A classified statement of receipts and expenditures of the County Institutions for the fiscal year 1969 is presented in Exhibit G.

General Comments

Current Surplus

The County's current surplus (excess of total assets over current liabilities) increased by \$51,497.99, from \$105,356.14 to \$156,854.13, during the fiscal year, as shown herewith:

	Dec. 31, 1968	Dec. 31, 1969
Total Assets	\$113,938.03	\$157,508.74
Current Liabilities	8,581.89	654.61
Current Surplus	\$105,356.14	\$156,854.13

The factors which contributed to this increase are outlined below:

Factors Affecting Increase in Current Surplus:

Net Budget Surplus	\$99,097.64
Increase in Accounts Receivable	6,525.24
Decrease in Accounts Payable	7,927.28

\$113,550.16

Factors Affecting Decrease in Current Surplus:

Surplus Used to Reduce County Tax	62,052.17
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Net Increase in Current Surplus: \$51,497.99

County Commissioners:

As previously indicated in this report, all orders drawn by the Commissioners during the fiscal year 1969 were examined to determine whether payments were properly supported and whether purchases were made in accordance with the law.

This examination disclosed the following exceptions:

(1) Many welfare order blanks authorizing the purchase of food, clothing, etc., by welfare recipients were not signed by the Commissioners or other authorized official when issued. In addition, many recipients did not sign these orders to acknowledge receipt of goods or services billed to the County.

(2) Vouchers for food purchases by welfare recipients were rarely supported by itemized invoices from vendors. Invoices when supplied consisted mostly of receipts, or cash register tapes showing only total amounts purchased; individual items bought were not enumerated or described.

(3) Some checks were issued to vendors solely on the basis of authorization by the Commissioners; in these cases, there were no invoices attached in support of payments made.

Conclusion:

The provisions of Chapter 71, Section 27-a, of the Revised Statutes Annotated require that the auditors summary of findings and recommendations (letter of transmittal), shall be published in the next annual report of the County. Publication of the Exhibits contained in the audit report is optional, at the discretion of the Board of County Commissioners.

We extend our thanks to the officials of Coos County and their office staff for their assistance during the course of the audit.

Very truly yours,

Frederick E. Laplante, Director
Division of Municipal Accounting
State Tax Commission

Treasurer's Financial Report

Balance Sheet, December 31, 1972

Assets

Cash Surplus	\$ 66,859.32
Petty Cash,	
Institution	500.00
Petty Cash, Coos	
County Acct. Dept.	35.00
Accounts Receivable,	
December 31, 1972	43,382.13
Taxes Due County,	
December 31, 1972	4,013.35

\$114,789.80

Liabilities

Accounts Payable, other	
than Institution	741.30
Long Term Note	57,500.00
Net Surplus	56,548.50

\$114,789.80

Unpaid Taxes, December 31, 1972

Unincorporated Places	
Collected by the State of	
New Hampshire	\$ 4,013.35

Real Estate Inventory

COOS COUNTY APPRAISAL - DECEMBER 1972

Description	Estimated Sound Value
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COUNTY FARM BUILDINGS:

Brick (F.P.W.)	\$ 224,870.00
Brick Jail	65,219.00
Frame and Tile, Hay and Cow Barn	69,525.00
Tile Piggery	10,000.00
Frame Garage, 125 ft. North of	
Barn	3,000.00
Frame Barn (Ladd House)	2,500.00
Frame Manure House	500.00
Frame Poultry House, North of	
Piggery	5,000.00
Frame Implement Shed	100.00
Superintendent's Home, one story	
and two garages	30,000.00

BRICK COURT HOUSES:

Main Street, Lancaster, N. H. . .	\$ 146,800.00
Main Street, Berlin, N. H. . . .	118,100.00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

	BALANCE		
	Appropriations	Expenditures	Unexpended Overdraft
County Officers'			
Salaries	\$ 14,150.00	\$ 14,150.00	\$
County Officers'			
Exp. & Acct. Admn....	17,000.00	17,324.95	324.95
Medical Referee.....	2,200.00	1,502.50	697.50
Register of Deeds**..	3,300.00	3,546.10	246.10**
Register of Probate..	2,200.00	2,190.54	9.46
Attorney, Clerical...	1,250.00	1,250.00	
Berlin Court House...	8,000.00	8,123.53	123.53
Lancaster Court House	8,000.00	7,775.51	224.49
Superior Court.....	67,900.00	76,035.03	8,135.03
Institution.....	310,000.00	304,182.64	5,817.36
Farm.....	84,000.00	85,112.07	1,112.07
Nursing Home.....	210,000.00	209,605.08	394.92
Jail.....	34,000.00	33,628.61	371.39
Poor Off Farm.....	31,000.00	32,005.26	1,005.26
Old Age Assistance...	105,000.00	117,523.05	12,523.05
Children.....	26,000.00	20,342.35	5,657.65
Soldiers Aid.....	12,000.00	15,356.00	3,356.00
Welfare Adminis- tration.....	6,700.00	7,250.61	550.61
Interest T A Notes...	11,420.00	5,820.43	5,599.57
Jail, Office.....	1,500.00	1,429.02	70.98

Institution,	\$	\$	\$	\$
Sewerage.....	2,020.00	447.84	1,572.16	
Nursing Home, Kitchen	10,085.00	10,047.80	37.20	
Physical Therapist...	9,000.00	5,964.78	3,035.22	
Boiler, laundry, signal system.....	57,500.00	51,657.21	5,842.79	
Lancaster Court House repairs/chairs.....	11,500.00	11,447.10	52.90	9.88
Jail, roof.....	3,500.00	3,509.88		
Berlin Court House/ chairs.....	1,000.00	1,012.00		12.00
Crime Abatement.....	2,000.00	527.74	1,472.26	
Soil Conservation....	5,000.00	1,538.45	3,461.55	
County Reports.....	1,800.00	1,753.05	46.95	
Surplus Food.....	19,400.00	20,729.65		1,329.65
Extension Service....	39,576.00	36,609.08	2,966.92	
Social Security, other.....		1,894.90		1,894.90
Insurance.....	13,500.00	14,388.00		888.00
Social Security/ Retirement.....	26,600.00	27,076.49		476.49
Delegation.....	1,100.00	933.50	166.50	
Errol, fire.....		74.00		74.00
State Auditors.....		120.56		120.56
	<u>\$1,159,201.00</u>	<u>\$1,153,885.31</u>	<u>\$37,497.77</u>	<u>\$32,182.08</u>
**Register of Deeds				
Additional \$250.00				
Balance - \$ 3.90				\$ 5,315.69

Treasurer's Report of Receipts and Taxes

Berlin	\$ 218,592.74
Carroll	11,817.09
Clarksville	3,473.87
Colebrook	26,460.77
Columbia	7,494.05
Dalton	7,814.72
Dummer	3,070.07
Errol	6,163.89
Gorham	82,256.42
Jefferson	15,083.12
Lancaster	42,980.94
Milan	8,004.74
Northumberland	54,922.73
Pittsburg	16,733.94
Randolph	10,160.32
Shelburne	7,523.74
Stark	5,439.42
Stewartstown	8,456.05
Stratford	17,731.57
Whitefield	30,421.57

\$ 584,601.36

ALL OTHER CURRENT RECEIPTS

County Nursing Home & Farm	\$ 480,280.57
Fines & Forfeits, Superior Court	3,344.00
Interest on Deposits, etc.	916.19
Old Age Recovery	3,510.55
Children	1,886.00
Long Term Note	57,500.00
N.H. Dist. Agency	9,561.80
Court Steno	29.60
Soil Conservation	296.00
Auto Taxes	2,842.46
Social Security other	1,633.48
Property Tax	4,159.48
Resident Tax	209.00
Checks voided	94.03
Room - Meal Tax	596.30
Yield Tax	5,208.72
Land Damage settlement	2,425.00
Extension Service	453.16
Insurance refund	232.00
Tax Credits	449.14
Misc.	86.73

\$ 575,714.21

Temporary Loans	375,000.00
Cash surplus, December 31, 1971	60,429.06

Total receipts, 1972 \$1,595,744.63

Expenditures

GENERAL GOVERNMENT:

Treasurer:

John D. Morton

December 31, 1971 -

December 31, 1972 \$ 750.00

Auditors:

Jean Louis Blais Esq. 200.00

Walter D. Hinkley Esq. 200.00

Attorney:

Pierre Morin

December 31, 1971 -

December 31, 1972 3,500.00

Sheriff:

Emile Martineau

December 31, 1971 -

December 31, 1972 2,000.00

County Commissioners:

Rene R. Bergeron 2,500.00

Norman S. Brungot 2,500.00

Thomas R. Corrigan 2,500.00

\$ 14,150.00

MEDICAL REFEREE & ASSOCIATED:

James Ferguson, M.D.	\$	30.00
James Donnell, M.D.		469.50
Rufus McVetty, M.D.		180.00
Edward Danaïs, M.D.		240.00
David Broughton, M.D.		60.00
Marjorie Parsons, M.D.		32.00
Christie, Couch, M.D.		400.00
Dennis Norris, M.D.		30.00
William Gifford, M.D.		30.00
Hal Cameron, M.D.		31.00

\$ 1,502.50

COUNTY OFFICER'S EXPENSE:

Administration of accounting (Salaries, Blue Cross, Petty Cash)	14,193.68
Office Products of Berlin	176.95
Burroughs Corp.	59.50
N. E. Tel.	980.24
Smith & Town	102.05
Newspaper Bids	17.09
Association of Counties dues	300.00
Rene Bergeron	352.90
Thomas Corrigan	138.40
Norman Brungot	147.25
Sheriff, Telephone	524.53
Sheriff, Expenses	301.46
Treasurer	30.90

\$ 17,324.95

REGISTER OF PROBATE:

North Country	
Publishing	\$ 502.18
3M Business Products	160.77
Equity Publishing	39.00
N. E. Tel.	245.25
Lyndonville Equipment	144.25
Probate Court, postage and clerical	370.00
News & Sentinel	185.65
Loring, Short & Harmon	76.40
J. J. Marotti	413.34
M. Schwartz Co.	4.30
Berlin Reporter	49.40

\$ 2,190.54

REGISTER OF DEEDS:

M. Schwartz Co.	\$ 1,107.50
Carl Larson & Sons	231.45
Maunsell Co.	410.95
Loring, Short & Harmon	60.91
Lyndonville Equipment	88.00
North Country	
Publishing	194.83
Berlin Reporter	115.05
N. E. Tel.	293.33
Hall & McChesney	723.50
Kee Lox Mfg.	88.92
Register of Deeds	7.20
Holmes Transportation	12.46
J. J. Marotti	212.00

\$ 3,546.10

SUPERIOR COURT:

N. E. Tel.	\$ 1,062.48
John W. Kelly	299.00
J. J. Marotti	1,774.68
3M Business Products	225.97
Robert Rich & Deputy & travel	19,218.80
E. J. Dickey, P.M.	598.00
North Country Publishing	311.40
Lyndonville Equipment	71.95
News & Sentinel	10.70
George Kenison	10.29
Carl Larson & Sons	30.50
I.B.M. Corp.	154.50
Office Products of Berlin	66.10
Vaillancourt & Woodward	52.00
Geo. M. Stevens & Son	37.00
Linscott's	42.60
N. H. Bar Assoc.	15.00
Robert Tilton	27.03

\$ 24,008.00

Jury Payrolls	\$ 14,205.26
State "vs" Payrolls	17,801.94
Masters Fees	1,208.88
Court Steno	9,847.88
Sheriff & Deputies	6,485.09
Law Books, psychiatric, etc.	580.65
Attorney, court expense	1,897.33

\$ 52,027.03

BERLIN COURT HOUSE:

Petty Cash	\$	42.90
C. N. Hodgdon		72.19
Public Service		781.81
Berlin Water Works		87.38
J. & M. Lumber		
(plowing)		408.00
Morin Oil Co.		2,120.23
Paul's Laundry		162.00
J. G. Blais Co.		133.88
Morrisette's		8.00
Geo. Robbins Co.		88.05
Sherwin Williams		181.70
East Side Cleaners		12.00
Leo's Electric		7.45
City of Berlin		5.00
Brideau Bldg.		16.34
Montgomery Ward		143.62
Berlin Glass		2.30
Sears Roebuck		73.86
Dept. of Labor		4.00
Northeast Gas of N.H.		17.00
City Hardware		59.77
William Gosselin		6.00
Kidder Greenhouse		34.75
Pennock's Appliance		26.23
Roger Premo		178.33
West Chemical		64.75
American Legion # 36		11.00
Western Auto		5.32
Custodial - Salaries		3,369.67

\$ 8,123.53

LANCASTER COURT HOUSE:

Morris Bldg.	\$	4.06
Cantin Repair		15.00
Cray Oil Co.		1,586.82
Crawford's Esso		
(plowing)		85.00

Kenneth Phillips	\$	98.00
Public Service		735.61
J. S. Beaton Sons		248.96
Bragdon's		211.07
Frank Smith Co.		75.04
Lancaster Water		46.44
Sears, Roebuck		64.29
Blue Cross		101.87
Dept. of Labor		2.00
Riff Flower Shop		13.00
Monahan's Gulf		1.60
J. I. Holcomb Mfg.		50.75
Myra Emerson		16.00
Pilgrim Furniture		60.00
Custodial - Salaries		4,360.00

\$ 7,775.51

PUBLIC WELFARE

	Poor Off Farm	Children	Old Age Assistance	Soldier's Aid
Berlin	\$24,616.90	\$ 8,634.46		\$10,642.25
Surplus Food	20,729.65			
Colebrook	1,023.13			
Dalton	139.80	3,295.56		336.95
Dummer	242.70			
Gorham	302.12	2,725.22		
Jefferson	101.62			
Lancaster	664.51			310.50
Northumberland	3,648.04	4,256.11		
North Stratford	320.00			1,450.43
Whitefield	946.44			
Columbia		1,431.00		2,615.87
Stark				
Admn.	7,250.61			
Old Age Assistance			\$65,119.07	
A.T.P. Disabled			33,834.07	
Alien Old Age			18,532.72	
N.H. Div. Welfare			37.19	
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	\$59,985.52	\$20,342.35	\$117,523.05	\$15,356.00
				\$213,206.92

INSTITUTION:

Administration	
Salaries	\$ 44,994.55
Dietary	120,582.29
Housekeeping	35,113.99
Laundry	21,424.16
Plant Firemen	34,335.42
Maintenance	29,910.04
Rest Home	7,216.87
Minor Equipment	2,827.98
Blue Cross & Insurance	4,107.04
Medical Services	3,670.30

\$ 304,182.64

Nursing Service	\$ 182,470.68
Medical & Surgical	3,930.74
Pharmacy	12,444.61
Medical Records	371.00
Oxygen	239.97
Nursing Home	423.41
Blue Cross & Insurance	4,516.96
Minor Equipment	2,087.08
Physical & Occupational Therapy	1,400.44
Nurses Expenses	57.31
Milk Dispenser	1,662.88

\$ 209,605.08

JAIL:

Salaries	\$ 26,656.36
Supplies	1,384.10
Repairs	1,941.05
T. V. Cable	42.00
Blue Cross & Insurance	798.90
Other Expenses	775.85
Hospitalization	2,030.35

\$ 33,628.61

FARM:

Salaries	\$ 27,915.95
Feed	22,828.12
Supplies	10,928.39
Fuel	3,658.98
Repairs	2,969.38
Vehicle Maintenance	5,490.07
DHIA	546.11
Registration	147.50
Veterinary	754.00
Breeding	633.50
Wood	165.35
Blue Cross & Insurance	468.78
Operating Expenses	7,597.93
Miscellaneous	23.05
Equipment & Machinery	984.96

\$ 85,112.07

ALL OTHER PAYMENTS

County Reports	\$ 1,753.05
Crime Abatement	527.74
Extension Service	36,609.08
Insurance	14,388.00
Employee SS & Retirement	27,076.49

Delegation	\$ 933.50
Attorney, clerical	1,250.00
Long Term Note, interest	988.05
Temporary Loan interest	4,832.38
Jail, office*	1,429.02
Institution, sewerage study*	447.84
Nursing Home, kitchen*	10,047.80
Physical Therapist*	5,964.78
Boiler, Signal system, Laundry*	51,657.21
Lancaster Court House, roof*	10,000.00
Berlin Court House, jury chairs*	1,012.00
Lancaster Court House, jury chairs*	442.68
Lancaster Court House, paint*	1,004.42
Jail, roof*	3,509.88
Soil Conservation*	1,538.45
SS Other	1,894.90
Errol, fire	74.00
Tax Commission, auditors	120.56
Temporary Loans	375,000.00

\$ 552,501.83

*Special appropriations

TOTAL COUNTY OF COOS 1972 EXPENSES \$1,528,885.31

Treasurer's Report

Coos County

Apportionment of County Tax - Year 1972

	Proportion of Tax	Amount of Tax
Berlin	\$ 368.11	\$ 218,592.34
Carroll	19.90	11,817.09
Clarksville	5.85	3,473.87
Colebrook	44.56	26,460.77
Columbia	12.62	7,494.05
Dalton	13.16	7,814.72
Dummer	5.17	3,070.07
Errol	10.38	6,163.89
Gorham	138.52	82,256.42
Jefferson	25.40	15,083.12
Lancaster	72.38	42,980.94
Milan	13.48	8,004.74
Northumberland	92.49	54,922.73
Pittsburg	28.18	16,733.94
Randolph	17.11	10,160.32
Shelburne	12.67	7,523.74
Stark	9.16	5,439.42
Stewartstown	14.24	8,456.05
Stratford	29.86	17,731.57
Whitefield	51.23	30,421.57
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	\$ 984.47	\$ 584,601.36

Unincorporated Places:

Atkinson & Gilmanton Academy		
Grant	\$.23	\$ 136.58
Bean's Purchase	.80	475.06
Cambridge	1.09	647.27
Crawford's Purchase	.09	53.44
Dix's Grant	.26	154.39
Dixville	3.65	2,167.46
Erving's Grant	.04	23.75
Green's Grant	.32	190.02
Martin's Location	.09	53.44
Millsfield	1.11	659.14
Odell	1.07	635.39
Pinkham's Grant	1.82	1,080.76
Sargent's Purchase	.24	142.52
Second College Grant	.59	350.36
Success	1.09	647.27
Thompson & Meserve Purchase	.89	528.50
Wentworth Location	2.15	1,276.72
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	\$ 15.53	\$ 9,222.07
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	\$1,000.00	\$ 593,823.43

APPORTIONMENT OF COUNTY TAX IN UNINCORPORATED PLACES

1972

	Amount of County Tax	Amount to Be Paid by State	Amount to be Paid by Taxpayers (Collected by State)
Atkinson and Gilmanton			
Academy Grant.....	\$ 136.58	\$	\$ 136.58
Bean's Purchase.....	475.06	69.06	406.00
Cambridge.....	647.27	52.97	594.30
Crawford's Purchase.....	53.44	53.44	
Dix's Grant.....	154.39		154.39
Dixville.....	2,167.46	2,167.46	
Erving's Grant.....	23.75		23.75
Green's Grant.....	190.02		
Martin's Location.....	53.44		53.44
Millsfield.....	659.14	659.14	
Odell.....	635.39	635.39	
Pinkham's Grant.....	1,080.76		1,080.76
Sargent's Purchase.....	142.52		142.52
Second College Grant (Dartmouth).....	350.36	350.36	
Success.....	647.27		647.27
Thompson & Meserve Purchase	528.50		528.50
Wentworth Location.....	1,276.72	1,030.88	245.84
	<u>\$9,222.07</u>	<u>\$5,208.72</u>	<u>\$4,013.35</u>

County Auditor's Report

Balance,	
December 31, 1971	\$ 60,429.06
Receipts,	
December 31, 1972	1,535,315.57

Total Receipts	\$1,595,744.63
Payments, ending	
December 31, 1972	1,528,885.31

Balance,	
December 31, 1972	\$66,859.32

Balance,	
Berlin City National	\$ 42,344.82
Balance,	
Colebrook National	24,514.50

Reconciled Bank	
Balance,	
December 31, 1972	\$66,859.32

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Total Amount of Receipts from	
Institution	
Period ending, December 31, 1972	\$480,280.57

Total Amount of Remittance	
to County Treasurer	
December 31, 1972	\$480,280.57

Indebtedness, December 31, 1972

Outstanding Loans	\$	
Outstanding Long Term Notes		57,500.00
Bills owed by County other		
than Institution	\$	741.30

County Taxes Uncollected

Unincorporated Places,	
collected by the State	\$ 4,013.35

JEAN LOUIS BLAIS, ESQ.
WALTER D. HINKLEY, ESO.
COUNTY OF COOS, AUDITORS

Report of Superintendent

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners and the County Delegation and Citizens of Coos County:

There were 69 admissions to the Nursing Home with 33,065 patient days.

There were 78 jail admissions with 1309 days, and 94 House of Correction admissions with 1300 days.

The remodeling of the kitchen, jail, office and laundry have been completed. A new covering on the jail roof was done, and the installation of the new modern patient signal system, along with the paging system were completed. The new automatic boilers were operating in June and have shown a considerable saving in cost.

Our new physical therapy department is in operation, and has benefited many of our patients toward rehabilitation.

We can never fully express our appreciation to our Doctors and Clergy who contribute so much to our patients' needs. Reverend Bernard Messier of Assumption of B. V. M. Church says a monthly Mass and responds to the needs of the patients whenever needed. St. Kieran Parish Priest, assisted by Mr. Roger Norman of Berlin, who also says monthly masses and Reverend Eastman of West Stewartstown who conducts monthly services at the County Home.

We very much wish to thank Beecher Falls Manufacturing Company office personnel for their fine donation and Beecher Falls Mfg. Company for the beautiful furniture donated the Home, and the many organizations and individuals who have participated in activities at the Home throughout the year.

Our special thanks to our County Commissioners, Mr. Rene Bergeron, Dr. Norman Brungot and Mr. Thomas Corrigan, the County Delegation and employees for their fine cooperation and support.

Sincerely submitted,

Leopold Bouchard, Superintendent
Mary E. Bouchard, Administratrix

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENSE

GROSS EARNINGS

Daily Services,		
Nursing Home	\$411,533.43	
Medical and Surgical		
Supplies	1,800.28	
Pharmacy	10,769.36	
Oxygen	43.00	
Total		\$424,146.07

DEDUCTIONS FROM GROSS EARNINGS

State Welfare Gains	\$ (1,434.59)	
County Patients -		
Rest Home	4,249.32	
Uncollectables	1,037.07	
Nursing Home -		
County Patients	22,338.66	
Jail Medication -		
Medical & Surgical		
Supplies	216.80	
Total		\$ 26,407.26

OTHER INCOME

Telephone Income	\$ 5.69	
Bad Debt Recoveries	5,661.13	
Miscellaneous Income	195.05	
Total		\$ 5,861.87

FARM EARNINGS

Milk	\$ 60,557.07
Neat Stock	3,015.00
Swine	566.00
Produce	202.05
Hay	15.00
Gas Refund	654.40
Miscellaneous	146.00
Produce & Meat Used in Institution	30,469.30

Total	\$ 95,624.82
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NET EARNINGS	\$499,225.50
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OPERATING EXPENSES

INSTITUTION

Administration	
Salaries	\$ 44,994.55
Dietary	120,582.29
Housekeeping	35,113.99
Laundry	21,424.16
Plant Fireman	34,335.42
Maintenance	29,910.04
Rest Home	7,216.87
Minor Equipment	2,827.98
Blue Cross and Insurance	4,107.04
Medical Services	3,670.30

Total	\$304,182.64
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NURSING HOME

Nursing Service	\$182,470.68
Medical & Surgical	3,930.74
Pharmacy	12,444.61
Medical Records	371.00
Oxygen	239.97
Nursing Home	423.41
Blue Cross and Insurance	4,516.96
Minor Equipment	2,087.08
Physical & Occupational Therapy	1,400.44
Nurses Expenses	57.31
Milk Dispenser	1,662.88

Total	\$209,605.08
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JAIL

Salaries	\$ 26,656.36
Supplies	1,384.10
Repairs	1,941.05
TV Cable	42.00
Blue Cross and Insurance	798.90
Other Expenses	775.85
Hospitalization	2,030.35

Total	\$ 33,628.61
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FARM

Salaries	\$ 27,915.95
Feeds	22,828.12
Supplies	10,928.12
Fuel	3,658.98
Repairs	2,969.38
Vehicle Maintenance	5,490.07
DHIA	546.11
Registration	147.50

Veterinary	\$	754.00
Breeding		633.50
Wood		165.35
Blue Cross and Insurance		468.78
Operating Expenses		7,597.93
Miscellaneous		23.05
Equipment & Machinery		984.96

Total		\$ 85,112.07
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TOTAL EXPENSES		\$632,528.40
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SPECIALS

Replace Boilers	\$	26,590.48
Laundry Equipment		13,475.00
Study Sewerage Disposal - Additional Funds		447.84
Remodel Kitchen to Cafeteria Style		10,047.80
Patient Signal System		11,591.73
Replace Roof on Jail		3,509.88
Remodeling in Jail Recreation Area		1,429.02
Physical Therapy		5,964.78

Total		\$ 73,056.53
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SUMMARY

Accounts Receivable, December 31, 1972	\$	43,382.13
Inventory, December 31, 1972		276,594.97
Receipts for 1972		480,280.57

\$800,257.67

Operating Expenses

\$126,398.20

Per capita cost per
day of residents but
excluding employees
and guests

\$ 3.38

PRODUCE RAISED ON FARM 1972

Beets "	24 Bushels
Broccoli	6 bushels
Cabbage	115 Boxes
Carrots	12 Bushels
Cauliflower	40 Boxes
Corn (sweet)	398 Dozen
Cucumbers	4 Bushels
Lettuce	4 Boxes
Onions	50 Pound Sack
Peas	32 Boxes
Potatoes	974 Bushels
Radishes	324 Pkg.
Spinach	15 Bushels
Scallions	3 Dozen bchs.
Squash (buttercup)	25 Boxes
Squash (Hubbard)	1½ Tons
Strawberries	236 Quarts
String Beans	31 Boxes
Hay	322 Tons
Corn Silage	505 Tons

DAIRY AND MEAT PRODUCTS FROM FARM
Used By Institution During 1972

Milk	29,345 Quarts
Cream	210 Quarts
Beef	14,405 Pounds
Veal	2,975 Pounds
Pork	6,340 Pounds

Report of Clerk of Superior Court

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners for
Coos County:

Gentlemen:

Herewith are the reports of the receipts
and disbursements of the past two terms of
Superior Court in accordance with RSA
499:5,6.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT C. RICH
Clerk of Superior Court

OCTOBER TERM, 1971

Charges Against County

1. Fees chargeable to
County
Mittimus, capias, etc. \$ 20.00
Certificates to
Registrar of Vital
Statistics, Probate
Court, etc. 74.00
2. Misc. Cash Disbursements None
3. Fines:
State v.
Raymond Olivier 25.00
State v.
James A. Dupuis \$ 25.00
State v.
Gerard Turcotte 100.00

State v.		
Leland M. Cummings	10.00	
State v.		
Richard St. Cyr	100.00	
State v.		
William Weston	3,000.00	
State v.		
Michael Kearns	100.00	
State v.		
Bruce Therrien	200.00	
State v.		
Delphis Lauzon	100.00	
State v.		
Thomas Barrows	100.00	
State v.		
Donald J. Picard	50.00	
State v.		
Allen D. Hodge	100.00	
State v.		
Yvette M. Premo	200.00	
State v.		
Yvan R. Gosselin	200.00	
4. Clerk & Clerical		
hire	9,159.25	
5. Sale of rules	110.00	
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TOTAL CHARGES		\$13,673.25

Credits to County

1. Entries		
Civil (94)		
Equity (66)		
Criminal Appeals (21)		
2. Fines	\$4,310.00	
3. Sale of rules	110.00	
4. Sale of dockets	None	
5. Fees chargeable to		
County	\$ 94.00	
6. Allowance paid to		
date	9,159.25	
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TOTAL CREDITS		\$13,673.25

The foregoing account is approved and allowed.

May 2, 1972.

George R. Grant, Jr.
Presiding Justice

APRIL TERM, 1972

Charges Against County

1. Fees chargeable to County	
Mittimuses, capiases, etc.	\$ 10.00
Certificates to Registrar of Vital Statistics, Probate Court, etc.	44.25
2. Misc. Cash Disbursements	None
3. Fines:	
State v. Edward B. Fogerty	100.00
State v. Paul Sargent	50.00
State v. Robert L. Vincent	200.00
State v. Olive Sullivan	10.00
State v. Stephen W. Dumont	200.00
State v. Michael Kearns	\$ 100.00
State v. Dennis Placey	15.00
State v. David R. Camire	150.00
State v. Brenda J. Lapointe	150.00
State v. Daniel C. Lapointe	150.00
State v. Stacey L. Wentworth	150.00

State v.		
Maurice W. Bailey	125.00	
State v.		
Frank Townsend	20.00	
Forfeited bail:		
State v.		
John A. LaFond	250.00	
4. Clerk & Clerical		
hire	9,250.99	
5. Sale of rules	110.00	
TOTAL CHARGES		\$11,085.25

Credits to County

1. Entries		
Civil (62)		
Equity (92)		
Criminal appeal (20)		
2. Fines	1,670.00	
3. Sale of dockets	None	
4. Sale of rules	110.00	
5. Fees chargeable to		
County	54.25	
6. Allowance paid to		
date	9,250.99	
TOTAL		\$11,085.25

The foregoing account is approved and allowed.

Nov. 8, 1972

Martin F. Loughlin
Presiding Justice

County Attorney' Report

To the Commissioners of Coos County:

The following report is submitted for the year 1972:

I. Felonies and more serious misdemeanors disposed of in the Superior Court:

Barnes, Ralph E. (Middlebury, Vermont)

Charge: Assault and Forgery (2 Counts)

Disposition: Two to five years to State Prison; continued for sentence on forgery counts.

Belisle, Alain (Berlin)

Charge: Burglary

Disposition: One year to House of Correction, suspended; one year probation.

Craggy, George N. (Groveton)

Charge: Larceny

Disposition: \$150.00 fine and restitution.

Condon, Ronald W. (Salem, Massachusetts)

Charge: Rape (Statutory)

Disposition: Three to five years to State Prison, suspended; three years probation.

Cotnoir, Ronald (Manchester)

Charge: Taking Moose

Disposition: \$400.00 fine.

Drew, Roger (Groveton)

Charge: Burglary

Disposition: One year to County Jail, suspended.

Davis, Lester (Berlin and Manchester)

Charge: Burglary

Disposition: Six months to House of Correction, committed.

Dupont, Allen J. (Berlin)

Charge: Arson

Disposition: Continued for sentence, restitution.

Fillds, Herbert R. (Colebrook)

Charge: Burglary and Larceny

Disposition: \$100.00 fine and continued for sentence; one year probation.

Glidden, David M. (Whitefield)

Charge: Larceny (2 counts)

Disposition: \$200.00 fine, suspended; continued for sentence.

Gosselin, Yvan (Danville, Quebec, Canada)

Charge: Lascivious behavior

Disposition: \$200.00 fine

Grover, Bernard (Colebrook)

Charge: Concealing stolen property

Disposition: Jury Verdict of Not Guilty.

Guilbeault, Maurice (Berlin)

Charge: Burglary (2 counts) and Larceny

Disposition: Two to five years to State Prison on burglary; other two matters continued for sentence.

Hall, Terry R. (Newport, Vermont)

Charge: Arson

Disposition: \$200.00 fine.

Hersey, Thomas (Milan)

Charge: Burglary

Disposition: Six months to House of Correction, committed.

Hodge, Allen D. (Lancaster)

Charge: Larceny

Disposition: \$100.00 fine and restitution.

Hopps, Harry F. (Stark)

Charge: Burglary

Disposition: Two to four years to State Prison, Committed.

Hopps, Roland E. (Stark)

Charge: Burglary

Disposition: One year to House of Correction, committed.

Jutras, Raymond E. (Berlin)

Charge: unnatural and lascivious act

Disposition: One to three years to State
Prison, committed.

Kotsonas, Nicholas (Lowell, Massachusetts)

Charge: Rape (Statutory)

Disposition: Continued for sentence;
two years probation.

Marro, Michael D. (Whitefield)

Charge: Concealing Stolen Property

Disposition: Six months to House of
Correction, suspended.

Micucci, Stephen (Gorham)

Charge: Sale of Controlled drugs (4 counts)
and possession of Controlled Drugs

Disposition: Two to five years to State
Prison on one count, others continued
for sentence.

Newell, Clinton B. (Peabody, Massachusetts)

Charge: Burglary

Disposition: Four to five years to State
Prison, suspended upon making restitution
within thirty days; five years probation.

Oliveira, David A. (Berlin)

Charge: Rude and disorderly conduct

Disposition: Ninety days to House of
Correction, thirty days suspended. Ap-
pealed to New Hampshire Supreme Court.

Reynolds, Joseph P. (Peabody, Massachusetts)

Charge: Burglary

Disposition: Four to five years to State
Prison, suspended upon making restitution
within thirty days; five years probation.

Riff, Floyd (Berlin)

Charge: Burglary (7 counts)

Disposition: One year to House of Correc-
tion, 3 months suspended; one year pro-
bation; six counts continued for sent-
ence.

Riff, Philip (Lancaster)

Charge: Arson

Disposition: One year to House of Correc-
tion, suspended; one year probation.

Rohrabacker, Clifford (Gorham and Durham)
Charge: Possession of Controlled Drug
Disposition: \$200.00 fine; one year
probation.

Stokes, Robert A. (Commorant)
Charge: Passing Forged Paper (5 counts)
Disposition: One to three years to State
Prison on one count; others continued
for sentence.

Taylor, Wayne (Bethel, Maine and Berlin)
Charge: Lascivious behavior
Disposition: Six months to House of
Correction, suspended, \$200.00 fine;
eighteen months probation.

Yoo, Frank Bernard
Charge: Burglary
Disposition: Eighteen months to five years
to State Prison, committed.

Young, Edward L. (Berlin)
Charge: Present where controlled drugs
illegally kept
Disposition: \$200 fine, \$125 suspended.

Brown, Nancy (Commorant)
Charge: Forgery (5 counts)
Disposition: Continued for sentence; res-
titution; term of probation.

Kane, Paul M. (Island Pond, Vermont)
Charge: Larceny
Disposition: Continued for sentence;
\$100.00 fine, \$50.00 suspended;
\$150.00 property damage restitution.

Kilbride, Michael (Berlin)
Charge: Possession of a Controlled Drug
Disposition: Continued for sentence;
\$500.00 fine; two years probation.

In all fifty felony matters were disposed of by pleas of guilty, findings of guilty by the Court, and verdicts of guilty by jury. A number of charges, especially several dealing with burglary and drug matters were reduced to misdemeanors to which pleas of guilty or nolo contendere were entered. Findings of not guilty were made in some matters.

II. Non Support Cases, appeals from the various district and municipal courts dealing with fish and game and motor vehicle matters and misdemeanors were also prosecuted in Superior Court. Your County Attorney also appeared in all municipal and district courts in the county on a variety of matters in addition to those listed above such as bind over and probable cause hearings and juvenile matters.

III. I wish to express my appreciation and that of the people of Coos County for the capable assistance and cooperation received from the Sheriff and his department; the State Police and especially Station F; the Police Departments of the various communities in the county; the local Fish and Game Officers; and Lt. Roger Beaudoin of the State Crime Lab and his capable staff.

Respectfully submitted,

PIERRE J. MORIN

Coos County Attorney
January 1, 1972 - December 31, 1972

January 2, 1973

Sheriff's Report

To the County Commissioners and all Citizens of Coos County:

As Sheriff of your County, I submit the department's report for the year 1972.

Court Expenditures for the April Term 1972 (Lancaster):

Sheriff Emile A. Martineau	\$1,482.90
Deputy Sheriffs:	
Charles A. Covey	1,332.90
Norman A. Vashaw	883.66
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	\$3,699.46

Court Expenditures for the November Term 1972 (Berlin):

Sheriff Emile A. Martineau	\$1,013.50
Deputy Sheriffs	
Charles A. Covey	961.65
Harvey J. Duchesne	114.00
Norman A. Vashaw	696.48
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	\$2,785.63

The Sheriff's department has had a very busy year. Because of the increase in the work load, it is necessary to plan for future expansion. I hope this can be accomplished with a program that is being submitted to the Governor's Commission on Crime and Delinquency to upgrade the Sheriff's Department by acquiring much needed equipment, such as full time men, cruisers (police cars), office furniture and equipment, etc. My wishes are to operate on a full time basis like all other counties throughout the State of New Hampshire, giving the citizens of Coos County better service for their tax dollars.

At this time, I wish to thank County Attorney Pierre J. Morin, Clerk of Superior Court Robert C. Rich, The State, County and Law Enforcement Officers, the Citizens of Coos County, and my Deputies for the wonderful help and assistance they have given me.

Respectfully submitted,
EMILE A. MARTINEAU,
Sheriff

Chaplain's Report

To the Board of Commissioners and Citizens of Coos County:

Herein is a report of the spiritual ministrations provided at the County Nursing Home and House of Correction by the ministers and priests of the North Country.

Weekly visits and counseling were made at the House of Correction, by the area clergy, on a rotating basis.

The Rev. Bernard Messier administered the Sacraments as desired by the Catholic patients, and the Sacrament of the Sick on a day and night call. He also celebrated Mass once a month at the Nursing Home. A second monthly Mass was celebrated by a priest from Berlin. A Protestant Service was provided once a month.

There is a continuous visitation program with Scripture reading, counseling, encouragement and comfort for all patients.

We express gratitude to the Commissioners and to Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Bouchard for the opportunity to attend the sick and offer encouragement to the distressed.

Respectfully submitted,

The Rev. Bernard Messier,
on behalf of the clergy.

PHYSICIAN'S REPORT - 1973

Physical therapy has been one of the key improvements and benefits this year. The department includes two Physical Therapy consultants who visit the home twice a week, plus an R. N. who has had some special training in Physical Therapy.

New equipment has been installed in the former operating room. Included among these are whirlpool bath, parallel bars, hydroculator machine and paraffin bath. These are being most helpful in caring for our stroke patients.

Monthly visits to each patient are made plus whenever it deems necessary.

A new patient call system has been installed throughout the Nursing Home enabling all patients to be in immediate contact with nursing personnel.

Visits to sick jail inmates were made whenever necessary.

J. Leo Poirier
Staff Physician

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT -- ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL REVENUES

Fiscal Year Ending - December 31, 1972

	REVENUE			
	Estimated	Actual	Excess	Deficit
County Farm	\$ 55,912.00	\$ 65,158.52	\$ 9,246.52	
County Hospital	1,500.00	2,434.32	934.32	
County Nursing Home	360,400.00	412,687.73	52,287.73	
Children	2,600.00	1,886.00		\$714.00
Long Term Note	57,500.00	57,500.00		
N.H. Distributing Agency	8,000.00	9,561.80	1,561.80	
All Other Receipts	20,000.00		6,485.84	
Fines and Forfeits		3,344.00		
Interest on Deposits, etc.		916.19		
Old Age Recovery		3,510.55		
Soil Conservation		296.00		
Auto Tax		2,842.46		
Property Tax		4,159.48		
Resident Tax		209.00		
Room and Meal Tax		596.30		
Yield Tax		5,208.72		
Land Damage Settlement		2,425.00		
Extension Service		453.16		
Insurance Refund		232.00		

Tax Credits	449.14	
Misc. Credits, including SS	1,843.84	
	\$505,912.00	\$575,714.21
		\$70,516.21
		\$714.00
		\$69,802.21

BUDGET SUMMARY - FISCAL YEAR 1972

Actual Budgetary Revenues	\$575,714.21
Estimated Budgetary Revenues	505,912.00
	\$69,802.21

Unexpended Balance of	
Appropriation	\$ 37,497.77
Overdraft of Appropriation	32,182.08
	\$ 5,315.69

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF RELIEF CASES AND COSTS BY MONTHS
FOR THE CURRENT AND PREVIOUS YEAR

	No. Cases 1971	No. Cases 1972	* Increase or Decrease	Net Cost 1971	Net Cost 1972	* Increase or Decrease
January	127	161	*34	\$11,662.99	\$15,974.67	\$*4,311.68
February	144	167	*23	13,311.26	15,511.05	*2,199.79
March	134	176	*42	12,171.04	16,745.66	*4,574.62
April	138	180	*42	12,867.27	17,396.02	*4,528.75
May	137	180	*43	13,377.19	16,005.81	*2,628.62
June	137	177	*40	12,655.61	15,206.56	*2,550.95
July	135	168	*33	12,142.47	13,843.97	*1,701.50
August	139	165	*26	14,324.69	13,988.09	336.60
September	143	161	*18	14,397.28	14,431.45	* 34.17
October	151	163	*12	12,955.13	13,443.49	* 488.36
November	160	149	11	14,163.71	16,483.69	*2,319.98
December	153	162	* 9	14,745.20	15,159.11	* 413.91

ITEMIZED PUBLIC WELFARE

	Provisions	*B & C	Fuel	Rent	Footwear	Clothing	Medical	**Misc.	Total
Berlin	\$ 7,651.50	4,240.00	1,758.64	5,055.52	131.91	296.06	4,890.93	592.34	24,616.90
Colebrook			539.01	444.00				40.12	1,023.13
Dalton				60.00		29.31	50.49		139.80
Dummer	200.00			33.60				9.10	242.70
Corham	165.00		21.47	50.00			45.65	20.00	302.12
Jefferson	75.06		26.56						101.62
Lancaster	550.00		17.50	65.00				32.01	664.51
Northumberland	1,430.00		481.02	1,122.00		6.60	391.45	206.97	3,648.04
North Stratford	180.00			140.00					320.00
Whitefield	306.00	153.00	98.48	122.50		14.50	184.04	67.92	946.44
	\$10,557.56	4,393.00	2,942.68	7,102.62	131.91	346.47	5,562.56	968.46	32,005.26

* Board and care applicable to adult or child.

** Includes Public Service, transportation, utility, repairs, furniture

WELFARE ADMINISTRATION:

Salary, Blue Cross, Petty	
Cash (postage)	\$6,637.81
N. E. Tel.	255.03
Office Products of Berlin	39.67
Smith & Town	269.20
H. A. Manning	48.90
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	\$7,250.61

SURPLUS FOOD

Transportation

Berlin	\$ 5,289.58
Colebrook	2,675.53
Lancaster	2,198.45
Sears Roebuck	350.00
Emerson & Son	186.21
Pennock's	193.45
Misc.*	483.04
N. H. Dist. Agency	9,371.39

\$20,729.65

People Served**

Berlin	12,808	N. Stratford
Colebrook	3,148	Groveton
Lancaster	1,157	Whitefield
Dalton	865	Carroll

2,695
1,415
993
227

** People served, including children

Total 23,308

* To unload trucks, & supplies

CHILDREN'S ACCOUNT

	Board/Care	Footwear	Clothing	Medical	**Misc.	Total
Berlin	\$ 7,365.31	\$131.24	\$ 883.41	\$ 7.50	\$247.00	\$ 8,634.46
Columbia	1,431.00					1,431.00
Dalton	2,877.45	81.55	302.87	1.05	32.64	3,295.56
Gorham	2,400.00	28.24	293.98		3.00	2,725.22
Northumberland	3,383.76	164.89	450.96	71.00	185.50	4,256.11
	\$17,457.52	\$405.92	\$1,931.22	\$79.55	\$468.14	\$20,342.35

**Includes school lunches, transportation, haircuts, etc.

SOLDIERS AID

	Provisions	B/C	Fuel	Rent	Ft./Cloth.	Medical	**Misc.	Total
Berlin	\$3,030.23	\$330.00	\$323.49	\$2,492.00	\$29.97/21.50	\$4,100.30	\$314.76	\$10,642.25
Dalton	260.00		25.00				51.95	336.95
Lancaster						310.50		310.50
Stark	1,310.00	250.00	650.97			386.90	18.00	2,615.37
Whitefield	565.00			285.00	4.99/14.28	472.38	108.78	1,450.43
	\$5,165.23	\$580.00	\$999.46	\$2,777.00	\$34.96/35.78	\$5,270.08	\$493.49	\$15,356.00

**Includes Public Service, transportation, utility repairs, furniture.

INSTITUTION

	1972	1972	1973	1973	1973	1973
	Approved Budget	Expenses	Balance	Overdraft	Proposed Budget	Increase
Salaries						
Administration	\$ 37,952.00	\$ 36,502.96	\$ 1,449.04	\$	\$ 42,259.00	\$ 4,307.00
Dietary	67,735.00	68,504.87		769.87	73,650.00	5,915.00
Housekeeping	31,091.00	31,272.23		181.23	33,744.00	2,653.00
Laundry	15,858.00	15,486.53	371.47		16,416.00	558.00
Plant Fireman	14,112.00	8,325.39	5,786.61			
Maintenance	16,936.00	16,656.26	279.74		17,991.00	1,055.00
Rest Home	5,233.00	3,278.68	1,954.32		5,233.00	
Salary Totals	\$188,917.00	\$180,026.92	\$ 9,841.18	\$ 931.10	\$189,293.00	\$14,488.00
Supplies & Expenses						
Administration	\$ 8,510.00	\$ 8,491.59	\$ 18.41	\$	\$ 9,000.00	\$ 490.00
Food	42,180.00	44,520.72		2,340.72	50,000.00	7,820.00
Dietary	7,695.00	7,556.70	138.30		8,000.00	305.00
Housekeeping	3,300.00	3,841.76		541.76	4,000.00	700.00
Laundry	2,990.00	2,665.55	324.45		2,990.00	
Linens	3,388.00	3,272.08	115.92		3,500.00	112.00
Plant Fuel	18,500.00	17,161.69	1,338.32		18,500.00	
Plant Repairs	8,000.00	8,848.34		848.34	9,000.00	1,000.00
Maintenance	9,000.00	13,253.78		4,253.78	14,000.00	5,000.00
Rest Home	3,720.00	3,938.19		218.19	4,000.00	280.00
Minor Equipment	2,000.00	2,827.98		827.98	3,000.00	1,000.00
Blue Cross & Life Ins.	3,800.00	4,107.04		307.04	4,440.00	640.00
Medical Services	8,000.00	3,670.30		4,329.70	8,000.00	
Total Supplies & Expenses	\$121,083.00	\$124,155.72	\$ 1,935.40	\$13,667.51	\$138,430.00	\$17,347.00
Institution Totals	\$310,000.00	\$304,182.64	\$11,776.58	\$14,618.61	\$327,723.00	\$21,839.00
Difference						\$17,723.00

NURSING HOME

	1972	1972		1973	
	Approved	Expenses	Balance	Overdraft	Proposed
	Budget			Budget	Decrease
					Increase
<u>Salaries</u>					
Nursing Service	\$179,095.00	\$182,470.68	\$	\$3,375.68	\$210,474.00
<u>Supplies & Expenses</u>					\$51,379.00
Medical Supplies	5,200.00	3,930.74	1,269.26		5,200.00
Blue Cross & Life Ins.	4,500.00	4,516.96		16.96	5,040.00
Pharmacy	14,000.00	12,444.61	1,555.39		14,000.00
Medical Records	500.00	371.00	129.00		500.00
Oxygen	250.00	239.97	10.03		300.00
Nursing Home	400.00	423.41		23.41	500.00
Nurses Expenses	400.00	57.31	342.69		400.00
Minor Equipment	1,500.00	2,087.08		587.08	2,500.00
Physical & Occupational Therapy	3,000.00	1,400.44	1,599.56		3,000.00
Milk Dispensers	1,155.00	1,662.88		507.88	1,555.00
<u>Total Supplies & Expenses</u>	\$ 30,905.00	\$ 27,134.40	\$4,905.93	\$1,135.33	\$ 36,440.00
					\$1,155.00
<u>Total Nursing Home</u>	\$210,000.00	\$209,605.08	\$4,905.93	\$4,511.01	\$246,914.00
					\$38,039.00

FARM

	1972	1972	1973		
	Approved	Expenses	Balance	Overdraft	Proposed
	Budget			Budget	Budget
Salaries	\$24,600.00	\$27,915.95	\$	\$3,315.95	\$34,668.00
Supplies & Expenses					
Feeds	25,000.00	22,828.12	2,171.88		27,400.00
Supplies	9,000.00	10,928.39		1,928.39	11,000.00
Fuel	2,700.00	3,658.98		958.98	3,800.00
Repairs	1,600.00	2,969.38		1,369.38	3,000.00
Vehicle					
Maintenance	6,000.00	5,490.07	509.93		6,000.00
DHIA	600.00	546.11	53.89		600.00
Registration	150.00	147.50	2.50		150.00
Veterinary	800.00	754.00	46.00		800.00
Breeding	700.00	633.50	66.50		700.00
Wood Operation	1,000.00	165.35	834.65		500.00
Blue Cross & Ins.	800.00	468.78	331.22		700.00
Operating Exp.	10,000.00	7,597.93	2,402.07		100.00
Miscellaneous	200.00	23.05	176.95		1,000.00
Equipment & Machinery	850.00	984.96		134.96	200.00
Total Supplies & Exp.	\$59,400.00	\$57,196.12	\$6,595.59	\$4,391.71	\$63,850.00
Farm Totals	\$84,000.00	\$85,112.07	\$6,595.59	\$7,707.66	\$98,518.00
				Difference	\$14,518.00

JAIL

	1972 Approved Budget	1972 Expenses	Balance	Over- draft	1973 Proposed Budget	Dec- rease	Increase
<u>Salaries</u>							
Supplies & Expenses	\$26,958.00	\$26,656.36	\$301.64		\$29,888.00		\$2,930.00
Supplies	1,300.00	1,384.10		\$ 84.10	1,500.00		200.00
Repairs	2,500.00	1,941.05	558.95		2,500.00		
Blue Cross & Insurance	700.00	798.90		98.90	1,104.00		404.00
T.V. Cable	42.00	42.00			42.00		
Other Expenses	500.00	775.85		275.85	800.00		300.00
Hospitalization	2,000.00	2,030.35		30.35	2,000.00		
<u>Total Supplies & Expenses</u>	\$ 7,042.00	\$ 6,972.25	\$558.95	\$	\$ 7,946.00		\$ 904.00
<u>Totals Jail</u>	\$34,000.00	\$33,628.61	\$860.59	\$489.20	\$37,834.00		\$3,834.00

COOS COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE

PROPOSED BUDGET INFORMATION FOR 1973

Classification	1972		1973	
	Approved Budget	Expenditures	Proposed	
Salary: Clerical	\$12,450.00	\$12,647.61	\$13,400.00	
Travel	8,350.00	6,808.71	7,500.00	
Communication Services	2,100.00	2,088.68	2,300.00	
Rent	190.00	106.00	190.00	
Repairs to Equipment	180.00	172.80	180.00	
Supplies	1,900.00	2,034.29	2,200.00	
Equipment	800.00	587.68	800.00	
Taxes	760.00	641.52	900.00	
Miscellaneous	250.00	127.96	290.00	
Salaries: Agents	11,396.00	10,707.17	12,524.00	
Work Studies	400.00	347.38	400.00	
Assistant Forester	500.00	500.00	500.00	
Council Travel	300.00	215.15	300.00	
Sub Total	39,576.00	36,984.95	41,484.00	
Added Income				
Supplies, etc. UNH	375.87			
Returned to County		375.87		
Returned to County		2,591.05		

GRAND TOTAL \$39,951.87 \$39,951.87 \$41,484.00

*RELOCATION - 6 Months

July 1, 1973 - Jan. 1, 1974	
Rent	\$2,250.00
Janitor	150.00
Electricity	180.00
Moving, etc.	300.00

2,880.00

GRAND TOTAL (with relocation)

\$44,364.00

*Financial findings of a recent study made pertaining to a possible relocation of the Coos County Extension Office.

COOS COUNTY JAIL 1972

NAME	WEEKS	DAYS
Albert, Robert (Blackie) - Berlin Non Support	19	3
Allen, Michael - Colebrook - Night's Lodging		2
Aubertine, Anthony- Clarksville - District Court		1
Aubertine, Anthony-Colebrook-\$500 bond	1	4
Bailey, Maurice-Lancaster Bail Pd.		1
Barksdale, Michael-W. Stewartstown- Col. Dist. Court		1
Barksdale, Michael-W. Stewartstown- Col. Dist. Court Bail Pd.		1
Barnes, Ralph (Red)-Returned from es- cape H.C.-Dist. Court		2
Barnes, Ralph (Red)-Colebrook-Dist. Court		5
Barnes, Ralph (Red)-Colebrook-Superior Court	3	4
Barnes, Ralph (Red)-Colebrook-Superior Court	4	4
Barasso, Robert O.-Gorham-Dist. Court		4
Barrows, Clifford Jr.-Held for Sheriff Covey, Court Committed to State Hos.		2
Bedard, Michael-Border Patrol		1
Beffre, Henry M.-Gorham-Dist. Court		4
Belanger, William-Colebrook-Night's Lodging (Until he finds a job)	5	5
Beloin, Arthur-W. Stewartstown-Dist. Court Bail Pd.		1
Belisle, Alain-Berlin-Court		5
Belisle, Alain-Berlin-Super. Court	16	1
Bennett, Arnold-No. Stratford-		1
Biondi, Guilio-Gorham-Dist. Court		4
Bishop, Roger-Lancaster-Lan. Dist. Ct. Bail Pd.		1
Boudle, Frederick-Berlin-Sup. Ct.	2	4
Brodeur, Jean-Pittsburg-Col Dist. Ct.		3
Brodeur, John M. (Jean)-Pittsburg- Dist. Ct.		2
Brousseau, Amedie-W. Stewartstown- Dist. Ct.-Bail Hearing		1
Brown, George E.-Pittsburg-Night's Lodging, Safe-keeping		3
Buckley, Michael J.-Lancaster-Court		2

Burbank, Richard-No. Stratford-Dist.Ct.	5
Buteau, Laurier-No. Stratford-Dist. Ct.	4
Butler, William H.-Columbia-Sup. Ct.	3
Butler, William H.-Colebrook-Court	1
Butler, William H.-Colebrook-Dist. Ct.	1
Butler, William H.-Colebrook-Dist. Ct.	2
Cardin, Jean Perrie-Lancaster-Court	6
Caron, David-Colebrook-Dist. Ct. Bail Pd.	2
Caron, Fulbert-Colebrook-Dist.Ct.Bail Pd.	2
Carr, Kenneth F.-Lancaster-Court	3
Cass, Robert-Lancaster-Lan. Dist. Ct.	4
Chapple, Thomas-No.Stratford-Court	1
Clark, William N.Jr.-Colebrook-Court	2
Condon, Ronald-Berlin-Superior Ct.	4 6
Connary, Rita-Stratford-Safe-keeping	2
Cooper, Steven P.-Berlin-Superior Ct.	2
Coy, Don-Stratford-Dist. Ct.	1
Cross, John L.-No. Stratford-Night's Lodging	2
Davis, Lawrence Ray-Whitefield-Superior Ct.	1 3
Davis, Lawrence Ray-Whitefield-Superior Ct.	2
Davis, Lester E. Jr.-Berlin-Sup. Ct.	3 5
Deblois, Ethel-No.Stratford-Col. Dist. Ct.	2
DeWitt, Charles B.-Gorham-Col.Dist.Ct.	4
Donovan, George F.-Colebrook-Dist. Ct.	2
Donovan, George F.-Colebrook-Dist. Ct.	3
Dorval, Fernando-No.Stratford-Dist.Ct.	1
	Bail Pd.
Dowse, Terrance-Colebrook-Court	1
Duquette, Raymond-Lancaster-Court	5
Duquette, Raymond-Lancaster-Sup. Ct.	2
Duquette, Raymond-Lancaster-Sup.Ct.	3
England, Leslie-Colebrook-Hold	6
Estes, David P.-Stratford-Ct. Bail Pd.	1
Farnell, David-Stewartstown-Dist.Ct.	1
Fauteux, Armand-Colebrook-Dist.Ct.	2
	Bail Pd.
Fillds, Herbert Jr.-Colebrook- District Court	3
Fountain, Michael-No. Stratford-Dist. Ct.	2
Gagne, John V.-No.Stratford-Dist. Ct.	4
Gariepy, Claudette-Stewartstown- Dist. Ct.	1

Gariepy, Claudette-Colebrook-Dist. Ct.	5
Genevich, Joseph A.-Lancaster-Court	2
Gifford, Joseph-Colebrook-Night's Lod.	2
Gilardi, Camille-Gorham-Dist. Ct.	4
Gilcris, Wayne-Groveton-Dist. Ct. Bail Pd.	2
Glasko, Frank E.Jr.-Stewartstown-Dist. Ct.	1
Glasko, Frank E.Jr.-Colebrook-Dist.Ct.	5
Green, John-Lancaster-Court	2
Grover, Bernard-Colebrook-Court	2
Guilbeault, Maurice-Berlin-Sup. Ct.	13 1
Hall, Terry Roy-Stratford-Dist. Ct.	1
	Bail Pd.
Hand, Kenneth Q.-Stratford-Dist. Ct.	2
	Bail Pd.
Hartwell, Brian-Colebrook-Court	2
Hebert, Patrick-Colebrook-Night's Ld.	1
Hinman, Diana-Groveton-Municipal Ct.	3
Hinman, Richard-Groveton-Municipal Ct.	3
Hopps, Harry-Groveton-Court	2
Hopps, Harry-Colebrook-Superior Ct.	5
	Bail Pd.
Hopps, Irving-W.Stewartstown-Night's Lodging	2
Hopps, Roland-Groveton-Court	2
Hopps, Roland-Colebrook Ct.-Court	5
Hopps, Roland-Colebrook-Sup. Ct.	14 1
Houle, Andre-No. Stratford-Dist. Ct.	1
	Bail Pd.
Howes, Earl-Lancaster-Sup. Ct.	2
Hunt, Carlisle-Colebrook-Bail Hearing	1
Jennes, Herbert W.-Stewartstown-Safe-Keeping	2
Jennes, Herbert W.-Stewartstown-Night's Lodging	2
Johnson, Clement H.-Whitefield-Dist. Ct.	2
	Bail Pd.
Jutras, Raymond-Lancaster-Sup. Ct.	3
Kane, Paul-Colebrook-Dist. Ct.	1
Knowlton, Charles-Lancaster-Dist. Ct.	1
Kotsonas, Nicholas-Berlin-Sup. Ct.	4
	Bail Pd.
Krapf, Thomas-Colebrook-Hold	5
	Bail Pd.
Lafoe, Jimmy-No.Stratford-Court	1
	Bail Pd.

LaFountain, Michael-Colebrook-Court	3	
Lamarre, Raymond-Lancaster-Sup. Ct.	3	
		Bond Pd.
LaBlond, Paul Jr.-Stewartstown-Col.		
Dist. Ct.	1	
LaBlond, Paul Jr.-Colebrook-Dist.Ct.	5	
Lefebvre, Jean L.(John)-Berlin-		
Sup. Ct.	17	1
Lessard, Armand-Border Patrol		1
MacLean, Harris-W.Stewartstown-		
Night's Lodging		2
Marier, Frank-Colebrook-Dist. Ct.		1
		Bail Pd.
Martineau, Dennis-Stratford-Dist. Ct.		2
		Bail Pd.
Martorana, Diane R.-Gorham-		
Dist. Ct.		4
McMann, Michael-Colebrook-Dist.Ct.		4
Merritt, Andrew Martin-Stratford-		4
Col.Dist. Ct.		Bail Pd.
Micucci, Stephen-Gorham-Sup.Ct.		2
Monahan, Raymond-Lancaster-Sup.Ct.		3
		Bail Pd.
Moodie, Mark-Pittsburg-Night's Lod.		1
Monroe, Robert-Cole. Police Ct.-		
Hold for Bail-Released on own re-		1
cognizance		
Moore, Gary-Colebrook-Bail Hearing		1
Morris, Robert-Lancaster-Dist.Ct.	1	
Nauyokas, Paul Thomas-Lancaster-		
Dist.Ct.		2
Nauyokas, Peter E.-Lancaster-Dist.Ct.		2
Nelson, Curtis-W.Stewartstown-Dist. Ct.		1
Newell, Clinton B.Jr.-Lancaster-		
Dist. Ct.		2
Newell, Michael-Colebrook-Dist.Ct.		5
O'Keefe, Patrick-Colebrook-Bail Hearing		1
Ovalle, Victoria-Gorham-Dist.Ct.		2
		Bail Pd.
Perkins, Benjamin-Lancaster-Night's		
Lodging		2
Pineault, Rejean-Border Patrol-		1
Pisarski, Alfred-Lancaster-Dist.Ct.		6
Reynolds, Joseph-Lancaster-Dist.Ct.		2
Riff, Floyd-Berlin-Superior Ct.	19	
Roby, Gordon-Colebrook-Night's Ld.		2
Rohrabacker, Clifford-Gorham-Sup.Ct.	1	

Rouleau, Emile-Colebrook-Night's	Ld.	2
Rousseau, Dennis-Border Patrol		1
Routhier, Noel-Border Patrol		1
Routhier, Robert J.B.-Border Patrol		1
Rowe, Archie (Alias Michael)-Berlin-	Sup. Ct.	1
Rowe, Michael-Stewartstown-Night's	Ld.	2
Rudnick, Stewart-Stewartstown-Night's	Ld.	2
Sargent, Gordon-Lancaster-Sup.Ct.	1	1
Savage, Harry P.-No.Stratford-Dist.	Ct.	2
	Bail Pd.	
Sciafani, Anthony Jr.-Gorham-Dist.Ct.		4
Sennott, Thomas-Colebrook-Night's	Ld.	2
Singer, Ronald D.-Groveton-U.S.Army		3
Stapes, Carlton-Colebrook-Night's	Ld.	2
Stinson, Richard-Stratford-Dist.Ct.		2
	Bail Pd.	
Sullivan, James F.-Stratford-Cole.	Dist. Ct.	6
Turbide, Paul-Colebrook-Night's	Ld.	2
Wells, Wayne-Whitefield-Sup.Ct.	1	5
Wheeler, John-Colebrook-Mass.Author-	ities	2
Wheeler, Marshall-Colebrook-Dist.Ct.		3
Wheeler, Marshall-Colebrook-Night's	Ld.	2
Wheeler, Russell-Colebrook-Dist.Ct.		3
Whelan, Jeffrey-Pittsburg-Dist.Ct.		3
Whelan, Jeffrey-Pittsburg-Dist.Ct.		2
White, Michael-No.Stratford-Dist.Ct.		1
	Bail Pd.	
Williams, Walter-W.Stewartstown-	Dist.Ct.	2
Williams, Walter-Colebrook-Dist.Ct.		3
Williamson, Daniel-No.Stratford-	Dist.Ct.	2
Yoo, Frank Bernard-Gorham-Sup.Ct.	24	2
Yoo, Frank Bernard-Berlin-Sup.Ct.	1	6
York, James-Groveton-Municipal	Ct.	2
York, James-Groveton-Dist.Ct.		2
Young, Edward-Northumberland-Municipal	Ct.	2

COOS COUNTY HOUSE OF CORRECTION 1972

NAME	HELD FOR	WEEKS	DAYS
Allen, Dennis-Berlin-Uttering & Fraudulent Checks		3	6
Arsenault, Joseph Robert-Gorham-Operating After Suspension		2	2
Barnes, Ralph (Red)-Berlin-Uttering & Fraudulent checks		4	6
Barrasso, Robert-Gorham-Concealment of stolen Property			2
		Fine Pd.	
Beland, Robert-Gorham-DWI, Speeding, Derisive words		5	4
Bisson, Rene-Berlin-Operating after suspension		1	3
Bouchard, Roland-Berlin-DWI-2nd Off.		1	3
Boudle, Frederick-Berlin-Assault		8	1
Brodeur, John (Jean)-Pittsburg-Possession of Marijuana			2
(Less than 1 lb.)		Fine Pd.	
Burbank, Richard-Colebrook-DWI, Unlawful possession of Alcohol			1
		Fine Pd.	
Buteau, Laurier (Larry)-No. Stratford -Drunkenness			2
Cass, Robert-Lancaster-Fraudulent Checks		1	3
Clair, Alfred J., Jr.-Northumberland-Depositing rubbish on highway		2	5
Cloutier, James-Berlin-DWI-2nd off.		1	3
Corrigan, Donald P.-Lancaster-Burglary		10	4
Couture, Michael-Berlin-Possession of Marijuana		1	Fine Pd.
Cushman, Joseph Dean-Northumberland-DWI, Operating after revocation		4	3
Davis, Lester E. Jr.-Lancaster-Burglary		16	2
Davis, Lester E. Jr.-Berlin-Abusing & Annoying phone calls		3	1
DeWitt, Charles B.-Gorham-Concealment of stolen Property		4	1
Dupont, Allen-Berlin-Derisive words		3	1
Dupont, Allen-Berlin-Possession of Marijuana		6	1
		Fine Pd.	
Dupont, Allen-Berlin-Giving beer to minor		10	3

Duquette, Raymond-Berlin-Larceny	11	2
England, Leslie-Lancaster-Drunk & Disorderly	3	5
England, Leslie-Colebrook-Disorderly Conduct	5	
Fontaine, Ronald-Whitefield-DWI		1
	Fine	Pd.
Gagne, John V.-Colebrook-Drunk & Disorderly	8	6
Gregoire, Yvon-Colebrook-Reckless operation	1	3
	Fine	Pd.
Guilbeault, Maurice-Berlin-Taking M/V without permission	4	2
Hand, Larry-Northumberland-DWI		3
	Fine	Pd.
Harding, Robert-Gorham-DWI	9	1
Harrisson, Gordon-W. Stewartstown -DWI	2	4
Hennessey, Michael-Berlin-Drunk & Disorderly	7	
Hersey, Thomas-Lancaster-Burglary	21	5
Hodge, Allen-Stratford-DWI	1	3
Hopps, Roland-Lancaster-Burglary	10	
Hopps, Roland-Togus, Me.-Burglary	11	2
Howes, Earl-Whitefield-Assault	5	1
Jalbert, Henry-Whitefield-Drunkenness	3	1
Jalbert, Henry-Whitefield-Drunkenness	18	
Jordon, Michael-Colebrook-Larceny	30	
Kearns, Michael P.-Lancaster-Operating after suspension	.1	3
Knowlton, Charles-Lancaster-Breaking & Entering & Petty Larceny	4	2
Lauzon, Simone-Berlin-DWI-2nd Off.	1	2
LeClerc, Robert A.-Berlin-Assault		6
Lefebvre, Jean (John)-Berlin-operating after revocation	1	4
L'Heureux, Norman R.-Whitefield-operating after revocation	1	3
MacLean, Harris-Berlin-Drunkenness	7	6
MacLean, Harris-Berlin-Drunkenness	5	
Masters, Larry-Colebrook-operating after suspension	9	3
McMann, Michael-Berlin-Driving to endanger	6	1

McMann, Michael-Colebrook-Failure to answer summons-operating under suspension	7	
Morey, Ormand-Gorham-Drunkenness	3	6
Morey, Ormand-Gorham-Drunkenness	16	3
Morris, Robert-Lancaster-DWI, oper- ating without a license	7	
Nichols, Merlin-Berlin-Drunkenness	2	6
Nichols, Merlin-Berlin-Drunkenness	5	5
Nile, Carroll-Whitefield-Larceny	3	5
Normand, David-Berlin-Operating after revocation	1	3
Perkins, Benjamin-Colebrook-Drunk & Disorderly	11	6
Poretta, Stephen-Gorham-petty larceny	2	5
Poulin, George-Berlin-Injure & Destroying gravestones	8	2
Premo, Yvette M.-Lancaster-DWI, 2nd offense	1	3
Rich, Gary-Berlin-DWI, 2nd offense	1	2
Riendeau, Arthur-Berlin-DWI- 2nd offense	1	3
Riff, Floyd-Berlin-Burglary	7	5
Sargent, Paul L.-Berlin-Concealing Stolen goods	6	2
Sclafani, Anthony Jr.-Gorham-Con- cealment of stolen property		2
Stiles, Dale-Lancaster-Forgery	Fine	Pd.
Therrien, Joseph-Berlin-Drunkenness	3	5
Vashaw, Edward-Berlin-Possession of Marijuana	2	3
	Fine	Pd.
Wagner, Alfred-Lancaster-Drunk & Disorderly	2	1
Wagner, Alfred-Lancaster-Malicious damage & drunkenness	36	1
Walker, Woodbury-Groveton-Drunken- ness		1
Whelan, Jeffrey-Pittsburg-Possess- ion of Marijuana (less than 1 lb.)		1
	Fine	Pd.

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